# Ethna-AKTIV R.C.S Luxembourg K816

Annual report including audited financial statements as of 31 December 2022

Investment fund under Luxembourg law

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Luxembourg registered company B 155427





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# **Fund Management Report**

The fund management report on behalf of the Board of Directors of the management company:

Dear investors,

After the post-pandemic "Great Recovery" in 2021, 2022 was another difficult year for humankind and for the global economy. The year was shaped by the Russian invasion of Ukraine, the renewed rise in Covid-19 infection rates, especially in China, the explosion of inflation to levels not seen for decades, and much slower global growth. Central banks aggressively tightened policy to curb inflation. Consequently, global stock markets lost about one fifth of their value in 2022. This was the worst performance since the global financial crisis in 2008. Bond markets also suffered heavy losses in 2022: Government and corporate bond indices fell by about 16% over the course of the year. The total accumulated equity and bond market losses are estimated at more than USD 30 trillion, which is greater than the losses incurred during the global financial crisis.

The expectations for 2022 were thoroughly optimistic. Solid growth and declining inflation were expected. Central banks were hoping that the high level of inflation would subside as soon as the pandemic-related supply bottlenecks had eased.

However, the global economy was hit by two major shocks. The Russian invasion of Ukraine sent shockwaves around the world and brought immeasurable suffering to the Ukrainian people. The war and the sanctions imposed by the US and Europe drastically increased energy and commodity prices, exacerbating price pressures that drove inflation to record levels.

New outbreaks of Covid in China combined with China's zero-Covid policy produced a massive negative supply shock to the global economy, slowing growth and creating further inflationary pressures. As inflation rose to its highest level in decades and price pressures mounted, central banks around the world opted to accelerate the tightening of monetary policy in an effort to constrain aggregate demand, bring down inflation and keep long-term inflation expectations low.

The economic outlook was impacted by high inflation, tighter central bank policies and high levels of uncertainty. Global economic activity witnessed a synchronous slowdown, with price pressures spreading from headline to core inflation. In the closing months of the year, as the first indications emerged that headline inflation may have peaked in many parts of the world, central banks around the globe began to reduce the pace of their tightening. However, inflation has spread, and the danger is that with further increases in wages, rents and service prices, it will become entrenched.

The global economy is facing extremely uncertain times, and economic forecasts are currently correspondingly diverse. The outlook for 2023 will depend to a great extent on the inflation trend, on the resilience of each country's economy and on how governments and central banks conduct fiscal and monetary policy. Increased price pressure remains the biggest economic threat to the global economy in 2023. A number of central banks have announced or have already shifted to a more moderate tightening stance. Since there is a lag in the effect of monetary policy, we will only see the full impact of the monetary policy measures adopted to date in the quarters to come. Avoiding recession will be on the minds of central banks around the world. However, we assume that they will continue to gear their monetary policy towards containing inflation so as not to stoke expectations of permanently higher inflation.

The baseline scenario for 2023 projects only a gradual decline in core inflation to the level consistent with the medium-term targets of the central banks. With inflation high and continued tight policy rates, we expect the global economy to enter a shallow recession with a few quarters of negative growth (technical recession), followed by a period of weak growth due to persistent inflation and tighter monetary policy. In our view, the risks of a deeper recession are moderate, as labour markets remain solid, consumer and corporate balance sheets are healthy and banks are in much better shape than they were after the global financial crisis. The central banks will also be vigilant about avoiding a sharp decline in economic activity.

Nevertheless, this scenario entails a number of downside risks. If inflation expectations rise again, central banks could be pressured to tighten more aggressively. Strained financing conditions could have a long-term impact on financial stability or even trigger a crisis in the emerging markets. Major macroeconomic missteps or any new geopolitical crises could plunge the global economy into a sharper and more protracted recession than currently expected.

There are also some upside risks to the baseline scenario outlined above. The tightening of lending conditions could have a faster and stronger impact on the economy than currently anticipated, which would dampen demand and reduce inflation ahead of expectations. A quick resolution of the war in Ukraine followed by an easing of the energy crisis in Europe and the geopolitical situation, as well as China's decision to abandon its strict zero-Covid policy, could bring about a faster and stronger economic recovery in 2023.

#### Ethna-AKTIV

Hard to believe from today's point of view: Just twelve months ago, global equity indices were trading at or near their all-time highs. Ten-year interest rates in Germany were still in negative territory and comparable US securities were at just under 1.5%. While we were already noticing a discrepancy between an economic cycle that was still early-cycle, exorbitantly high valuations and an very advanced monetary and fiscal policy, we were still expecting a phase of above-average growth. However, this assumption was quickly shattered by a number of developments. On the one hand, the conflict between Ukraine and Russia escalated into a conventional war with all the attendant negative consequences, not least for Europe's energy supply. On the other hand, China's zero-Covid policy not only perpetuated supply bottlenecks for the rest of the world, but also led to a massive slowdown in growth in the Middle Kingdom. At the same time, inflation beyond the 10 percent mark, which had not been seen for decades, prompted a rethink among Western central banks. There was an almost seamless transition from a cautious stance as late as 2021 to a phase of rigorous anti-inflation. This not only led to rapid interest rate hikes, but also heralded the end of the negative/low interest rate phase. It was long underestimated, but an actually quite clearly defined goal of this policy was a significant reduction in demand in order to stabilise prices. In addition to the valuation adjustments made necessary by interest rates, especially in the case of growth stocks that had been imaginatively priced, there was also a change of regime with regard to the asset class correlation. The result was a perfect storm for well-diversified multi-asset products, at least in theory; in practice, losses had to be booked in both equities and bonds. Moreover, the v-shaped recoveries in the risk markets that were experienced so often in the last ten years did not take place this time. Instead, investors were challenged by a prolonged bear market that repeatedly featured aggressive but ultimately failed rally attempts.

This environment was of course also very challenging for the management of Ethna-AKTIV. However, this crisis also offered the opportunity to positively demonstrate the often cited characteristics of our approach – activity, flexibility and risk management. Even though a loss was still recorded at the end of the year, it can be positively emphasised that the measures taken helped to minimise both volatility and the loss in value. In this context, it was particularly helpful that the credit quality of the bond portfolio was raised before the start of last year and that the interest-rate sensitivity of the portfolio was secured in time and at times even aggressively over-hedged. Consequently, Ethna-AKTIV actually recorded a slightly positive performance contribution from its fixed-income segment in one of the worst bond years in decades. We have also taken advantage of the price declines to gradually expand the bond portfolio to more attractive levels – a decisive step for attractive returns in the years to come. The contribution from the currency side was also slightly positive. However, it should be noted that our strong positive opinion on and positioning in the US Dollar had generated a peak performance of more than 3% by the end of September. This was, however, almost completely cancelled out by the extremely strong depreciation of the greenback in the last quarter, which we did not anticipate. The performance contribution on the equity side is slightly above the market level. Although the strong equity exposure from the beginning of the year was quickly adjusted to the crisis environment, no further alpha was generated with tactical measures, which were in fact undertaken. The broader diversification of the underlying base portfolio (25%) over the course of the year proved to be the right move against the backdrop of high volatility. All in all, by avoiding the biggest stumbling blocks in 2022, only a moderate loss was incurred compared to the general, deeply negative yielding global markets, setting the stage for generating an attractive return in the longer term.

Looking forward, the economic environment remains very fragile. The restrictive policies of the Western central banks are slowly but surely exerting their decelerating effect. Analysts seem to have never been so united as they are now on the question of whether we will experience a recession in the near future. This observation alone calls for caution in a positive sense. After the issue of peak inflation, it is now the recession narrative that is driving the markets. Interestingly, with the inversion of the yield curve, the US bond market prices this risk much higher than the stock market. Looking ahead to the markets in 2023, however, the focus is once again on central bank policy in addition to economic data. Under no circumstances should the stop-and-go policy of the 1970s be repeated. Even at the risk of disproportionately weighing on the economy, we will continue to

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fight inflation consistently by raising interest rates. However, in contrast to recent quarters, services inflation is now being targeted more than goods inflation. For the risk markets, this means that passing the inflation peak is likely to be supportive, but at the same time growth concerns are imposing limits on above-average appreciation. As a result, we conclude that – as long as there is no more clarity about an end to the economic downturn – volatility will remain high and stock markets will probably trend sideways. As a result, there are likely to be interesting opportunities for action again and again at the edges of the expected price movements. However, it should be borne in mind that in view of the many negative factors, much of this has already been priced in and positive surprises cannot be ruled out. The situation is somewhat different in the bond sector. Significantly higher risk premiums and surprises on the interest-rate front make us quite optimistic about bonds in the new year.

Munsbach, January 2023

The Fund Management on behalf of the Board of Directors of the Management Company

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The management company is entitled to create unit classes that confer different rights depending on the units.

Currently the following unit classes exist with these structural features:

	Unit class	Unit class	Unit class	Unit class
	(A)	(T)	(R-A)*	(R-T)*
Security identification no.:	764930	A0X8U6	A1CV36	A1CVQR
ISIN code:	LU0136412771	LU0431139764	LU0564177706	LU0564184074
Subscription fee:	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%	up to 1.00%	up to 1.00%
Redemption fee:	none	none	none	none
Management fee:	up to 1.70% p.a.	up to 1.70% p.a.	up to 2.10% p.a.	up to 2.10% p.a.
Minimum subsequent investment:	none	none	none	none
Dividend policy:	distributed	reinvested	distributed	reinvested
Currency:	EUR	EUR	EUR	EUR
	Unit class	Unit class	Unit class	Unit class
	(CHF-A)	(CHF-T)	(SIA-A)	(SIA-T)
Security identification no.:	A1JEEK	A1JEEL	A1J5U4	A1J5U5
ISIN code:	LU0666480289	LU0666484190	LU0841179350	LU0841179863
Subscription fee:	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%
Redemption fee:	none	none	none	none
Management fee:	up to 1.70% p.a.	up to 1.70% p.a.	up to 1.10% p.a.	up to 1.10% p.a.
Minimum subsequent investment:	none	none	none	none
Dividend policy:	distributed	reinvested	distributed	reinvested
Currency:	CHF	CHF	EUR	EUR
	Unit class	Unit class	Unit class	Unit class
	(SIA CHF-T)	(USD-A)	(USD-T)	(SIA USD-T)
Security identification no.:	A1W66B	A1W66C	A1W66D	A1W66F
ISIN code:	LU0985093136	LU0985093219	LU0985094027	LU0985094373
Subscription fee:	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%	up to 3.00%
Redemption fee:	none	none	none	none
Management fee:	up to 1.10% p.a.	up to 1.70% p.a.	up to 1.70% p.a.	up to 1.10% p.a.
Minimum subsequent investment:	none	none	none	none
Dividend policy:	reinvested	distributed	reinvested	reinvested
Currency:	CHF	USD	USD	USD

<sup>\*</sup>Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

# Geographical breakdown of Ethna-AKTIV

Geographical breakdown by country 1)	
United States of America	59.10%
Germany	22.13%
Luxembourg	6.22%
Netherlands	1.62%
Ireland	0.85%
Belgium	0.55%
Spain	0.52%
Italy	0.51%
United Kingdom	0.51%
Sweden	0.47%
Switzerland	0.26%
France	0.23%
Norway	0.18%
Securities holdings	93.15%
Futures contracts	-0.04%
Cash at banks <sup>2)</sup>	5.59%
Other receivables and payables (net)	1.30%
	100.00%

<sup>1)</sup> Due to rounding differences in the individual items, the total amounts may deviate from the actual value.

<sup>2)</sup> See notes to the Report.

# Breakdown by economic sector of Ethna-AKTIV

Breakdown by economic sector 1)	
Government bonds	47.21%
Other	5.70%
Software & services	3.70%
Pharmaceuticals, biotechnology and biosciences	3.49%
Utilities	3.18%
Food, beverages and tobacco	2.85%
Banks	2.45%
Hardware and equipment	2.44%
Media & entertainment	2.40%
Wholesale and retail	2.20%
Healthcare: Equipment & services	1.95%
Automobiles and components	1.47%
Diversified financial services	1.42%
Capital goods	1.42%
Consumer services	1.42%
Semiconductors & equipment for semiconductor production	1.40%
Energy	1.29%
Raw materials and supplies	1.23%
Insurance	1.07%
Real estate	1.05%
Telecommunications services	1.01%
Household goods & personal care products	0.91%
Food and basic goods retail	0.71%
Transport	0.57%
Consumer goods and clothing	0.56%
Commercial services & supplies	0.05%
Securities holdings	93.15%
Futures contracts	-0.04%
Cash at banks <sup>2)</sup>	5.59%
Other receivables and payables (net)	1.30%
	100.00%

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# Change over the last 3 financial years

# Unit class (A)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR
31/12/2020	1,524.73	11,344,148	-294,895.52	134.41
31/12/2021	1,390.69	9,849,237	-204,648.60	141.20
31/12/2022	1,201.62	9,112,839	-99,920.01	131.86

# Unit class (T)

Date	Net fund assets in	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR	Unit value
	EUR millions		thousands	EUR
31/12/2020	842.77	5,967,449	-243,139.19	141.23
31/12/2021	618.48	4,165,082	-261,002.59	148.49
31/12/2022	493.81	3,558,354	-85,878.80	138.77

# Unit class (R-A)\*

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR
31/12/2020	7.00	73,154	-1,468.21	95.66
31/12/2021	5.70	58,601	-1,394.36	97.23
31/12/2022	5.29	60,367	158.97	87.65

# Unit class (R-T)\*

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR
31/12/2020	40.98	335,326	-10,457.73	122.22
31/12/2021	36.89	288,277	-5,756.63	127.97
31/12/2022	28.17	236,485	-6,435.80	119.12

# Unit class (CHF-A)

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Date	Net fund assets in	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR	Unit value	Unit value
	EUR millions		thousands	EUR	CHF
31/12/2020	5.69	54,455	-825.26	104.57	113.27 1)
31/12/2021	4.75	41,508	-1,373.16	114.46	118.63 <sup>2)</sup>
31/12/2022	4.51	40,207	-130.12	112.08	110.37 3)

# Unit class (CHF-T)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR	Unit value CHF
31/12/2020	28.29	245,684	-6,804.10	115.13	124.71 1)
31/12/2021	26.71	211,755	-3,959.61	126.12	130.71 2)
31/12/2022	23.56	190,630	-2,602.43	123.61	121.72 3)

Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2020: EUR 1 = CHF 1.0832

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2021: EUR 1 = CHF 1.0364

Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2022: EUR 1 = CHF 0.9847

<sup>\*</sup> Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

# Unit class (SIA-A)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR
31/12/2020	13.71	24,232	2,122.46	565.86
31/12/2021	6.48	10,849	-7,580.30	597.11
31/12/2022	5.00	8,908	-1,069.34	560.81

# Unit class (SIA-T)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR
31/12/2020	179.09	284,027	-136,733.82	630.55
31/12/2021	114.65	171,961	-71,556.14	666.72
31/12/2022	44.13	70,399	-64,856.27	626.88

# Unit class (SIA CHF-T)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR	Unit value CHF
31/12/2020	105.71	215,561	-1,224.96	490.40	531.20 1)
31/12/2021	49.39	91,445	-61,496.01	540.06	559.72 <sup>2)</sup>
31/12/2022	118.87	223,169	71,033.64	532.66	524.51 <sup>3)</sup>

# Unit class (USD-A)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR	Unit value USD
31/12/2020	1.20	13,052	-466.26	92.07	112.69 4)
31/12/2021	1.22	11,600	-136.94	104.76	118.89 5)
31/12/2022	1.21	11,427	-16.53	105.46	112.47 6)

# Unit class (USD-T)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR	Unit value USD
31/12/2020	12.05	122,942	-5,178.22	98.05	120.01 4)
31/12/2021	11.87	106,165	-1,757.37	111.82	126.90 5)
31/12/2022	10.53	93,207	-1,445.86	112.97	120.48 6)

# Unit class (SIA USD-T)

Date	Net fund assets in EUR millions	Outstanding units	Net inflows in EUR thousands	Unit value EUR	Unit value USD
31/12/2020	4.85	10,229	395.79	473.79	579.92 4)
31/12/2021	5.07	9,341	-429.13	542.77	615.99 5)
31/12/2022	3.29	5,961	-1.963.49	551.86	588.56 <sup>6)</sup>

- Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2020: EUR 1 = CHF 1.0832
- <sup>2)</sup> Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2021: EUR 1 = CHF 1.0364
- 3) Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2022: EUR 1 = CHF 0.9847
- 4) Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2020: EUR 1 = USD 1.2240
- 5) Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2021: EUR 1 = USD 1.1349
- <sup>6)</sup> Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2022: EUR 1 = USD 1.0665

# **Composition of net fund assets of Ethna-AKTIV**

# Composition of net fund assets

#### as of 31 December 2022

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	EUR
Securities holdings	1,807,669,182.53
(securities acquisition costs: EUR 1,826,551,321.31)	
Cash at banks 1)	108,434,264.29
Unrealised gains on forward foreign exchange contracts	25,468,181.37
Interest receivable	6,255,096.06
Dividends receivable	260,604.78
Receivables from unit sales	78,835.00
Receivables from securities transactions	90,902,757.80
Receivables from foreign exchange transactions	91,344,674.31
Other receivables <sup>2)</sup>	1,428,989.00
	2,131,842,585.14
Unit redemptions payable	-1,159,996.66
Unrealised losses on futures contracts	-847,327.71
Securities transactions payable	-95,051,615.40
Foreign exchange transactions payable	-90,951,711.20
Other liabilities and equity <sup>3)</sup>	-3,852,859.20
	-191,863,510.17
Net fund assets	1,939,979,074.97

<sup>1)</sup> See notes to the Report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> This item mainly receivables in connection with futures contracts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3)</sup> This item mainly comprises management fees and futures contracts.

# Allocation among unit classes

Anocation among unit classes	
Unit class (A)	
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 1,201,615,433.23
Outstanding units	9,112,839.286
Unit value	EUR 131.86
Unit days (T)	
Unit class (T)	FUD 402 000 05 ( 0.4
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 493,809,056.94
Outstanding units	3,558,353.866
Unit value	EUR 138.77
Unit class (R-A)*	
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 5,291,186.60
Outstanding units	60,367.256
Unit value	EUR 87.65
Unit class (R-T)*	
Pro rata net fund assets	EUD 20 170 204 75
Outstanding units	EUR 28,169,284.65 236,485.361
Unit value	EUR 119.12
Omt value	EUR 117.12
Unit class (CHF-A)	
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 4,506,193.76
Outstanding units	40,206.792
Unit value	EUR 112.08
Unit value	CHF 110.37 <sup>1)</sup>
Unit class (CHF-T)	
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 23,563,273.22
Outstanding units	190,630.259
Unit value	EUR 123.61
Unit value	CHF 121.72 <sup>1)</sup>
Unit class (SIA-A)	FVID 4 005 (75 02
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 4,995,675.03
Outstanding units	8,908.037
Unit value	EUR 560.81
Unit class (SIA-T)	
Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 44,131,702.40
Outstanding units	70,398.570
Unit value	EUR 626.88
Unit class (SIA CHE T)	
Unit class (SIA CHF-T) Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 118,872,754.26
Outstanding units	223,169.125
Unit value	EUR 532.66
Unit value	CHF 524.51 <sup>1)</sup>
One value	CHI 324.31

<sup>\*</sup> Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

 $<sup>^{1)}</sup>$  Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2022: EUR 1 = CHF 0.9847

# Unit class (USD-A)

Pro rata net fund assets

Outstanding units

Unit value

EUR 1,205,092.47

11,427.403

EUR 105.46

Unit value

USD 112.47 1)

# Unit class (USD-T)

Pro rata net fund assets
Outstanding units
Unit value
Unit value
EUR 10,530,059.36
93,207.466
EUR 112.97
Unit value
USD 120.48 ¹)

# Unit class (SIA USD-T)

Pro rata net fund assets	EUR 3,289,363.05
Outstanding units	5,960.500
Unit value	EUR 551.86
Unit value	USD 588.56 <sup>1)</sup>

<sup>1)</sup> Converted at the foreign exchange rate into EUR as of 31 December 2022: EUR 1 = USD 1.0665

# Change in net fund assets

in the period under review from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022

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	EUR	(A) EUR	(T) EUR	(R-A)* EUR
Total net fund assets at the beginning of the period under review	2,271,879,410.92	1,390,688,202.55	618,475,290.28	5,697,894.36
Ordinary net expenditure	-15,890,092.37	-10,413,402.84	-4,275,069.65	-68,468.34
Income and expense equalisation	-922,461.67	-382,246.16	-543,605.15	1,680.45
Inflow of funds from sale of units	345,436,156.47	28,925,380.36	189,881,178.42	497,125.92
Outflow of funds from redemption of units	-538,562,217.00	-128,845,391.36	-275,759,982.38	-338,159.14
Realised gains Realised losses	394,457,087.93	232,433,944.85	105,469,356.53	1,022,964.88 -1,160,312.96
Net change in unrealised gains	-440,335,027.69 -21,344,869.92	-263,786,405.99 -13,350,844.36	-119,053,114.53 -4,789,109.64	-63,232.81
Net change in unrealised losses	-53,605,487.09	-32,698,736.55	-15,595,886.94	-128,196.68
Distribution	-1,133,424.61	-955,067.27	0.00	-170,109.08
Total net fund assets at the end of the period under review		1,201,615,433.23	493,809,056.94	5,291,186.60
	Unit class		Unit class	Unit class
	(R-T)* EUR	(CHF-A)	(CHF-T) EUR	(SIA-A) EUR
Total net fund assets at the beginning of the period under review	36,891,183.96	4,750,946.54	26,705,610.58	6,478,205.41
Ordinary net expenditure	-361,529.27	-38,435.34	-201,597.34	-13,263.42
Income and expense equalisation	-30,675.12		-7,738.46	143.61
Inflow of funds from sale of units	5,232,223.48		2,177,681.06	4,203,814.13
Outflow of funds from redemption of units	-11,668,027.54		-4,780,113.72	-5,273,158.72
Realised gains	5,949,481.93	1,138,382.84	6,236,267.68	976,349.72
Realised losses	-6,682,627.34		-5,667,789.51	-1,110,863.43
Net change in unrealised gains	-315,173.48		-266,191.80	-93,573.49 -168,531.84
Net change in unrealised losses Distribution	-845,571.97 0.00		-632,855.27 0.00	-3,446.94
Total net fund assets at the end of the period under review	28,169,284.65		23,563,273.22	4,995,675.03
Total fiet fulld assets at the end of the period under review	· · ·	· ·	· · ·	
	Unit class (SIA-T) EUR	Unit class SIA (CHF-T) EUR	Unit class (USD-A) EUR	Unit class (USD-T) EUR
Total net fund assets at the beginning of the period under review	114,650,407.00	49,385,578.11	1,215,295.10	11,871,029.79
Ordinary net expenditure	-106,489.76	-299,402.28	-11,447.37	-92,297.88
Income and expense equalisation	-92,850.39	141,716.73	-242.76	-5,088.09
Inflow of funds from sale of units	40,447,265.07	71,220,786.40	507,309.26	1,717,808.16
Outflow of funds from redemption of units	-105,303,532.12	-187,150.50	-523,835.77	-3,163,670.92
Realised gains	18,138,746.79	17,505,470.90	438,552.03	3,576,616.53
Realised losses	-19,504,916.47	-17,709,866.52	-379,937.09	-3,003,106.58
Net change in unrealised gains	-1,680,965.80	-561,926.48	-18,112.95	-129,092.53
Net change in unrealised losses Distribution	-2,415,961.92 0.00	-622,452.10 0.00	-21,469.02	-242,139.12 0.00
Total net fund assets at the end of the period under review	44,131,702.40	118,872,754.26	-1,018.96 <b>1,205,092.47</b>	10,530,059.36
Total not faile assets at the one of the period under review	Unit class SIA	110,012,104.20	1,200,002.47	10,000,000.00
	(USD-T) EUR			
Total net fund assets at the beginning of the period under review	5,069,767.24			
Ordinary net expenditure	-8,688.88			
Income and expense equalisation	-4,064.97			
Inflow of funds from sale of units	115,363.00			
Outflow of funds from redemption of units	-2,078,851.82			
Realised gains Realised losses	1,570,953.25 -1,220,652.90			
Net change in unrealised gains	-1,220,632.90			
Net change in unrealised losses	-138,271.19			
Distribution Distribution	0.00			
Total net fund assets at the end of the period under review	3,289,363.05			

<sup>\*</sup> Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

# **Statement of operations of Ethna-AKTIV**

# Statement of operations

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in the period under review from 1 January 2022 to 31 December				
	Total	Unit class (A)	Unit class (T)	Unit class (R-A)*
	EUR	EUR	EUR	EUR
Income				
Dividends	5,960,335.23	3,649,241.49	1,623,584.95	15,336.62
Interest on bonds	15,773,636.77	9,663,204.97	4,285,916.28	40,683.78
Income from refund of withholding tax	49,149.85	30,024.27	13,864.85	124.45
Bank interest	-302,078.35	-184,583.61	-103,312.86	-640.17
Other income	6,661.10	4,077.18	1,882.60	16.78
Income equalisation	-894,593.12	-390,993.65	-574,571.92	1,229.00
Total income	20,593,111.48	12,770,970.65	5,247,363.90	56,750.46
Expense				
Interest expense	-155,584.33	-95,251.00	-42,216.09	-401.74
Management fee	-34,679,746.78	-21,747,622.90	-9,662,016.79	-112,988.84
Taxe d'abonnement	-1,025,390.82	-629,215.08	-274,795.07	-2,674.16
Publication and audit expenses	-227,918.51	-139,355.59	-62,240.70	-582.56
Typesetting, printing and postage and packaging for the annual and	-37,507.57	-22,975.91	-10,053.55	-97.38
semi-annual reports				
Registrar and transfer agent fee	-24,390.05	-14,933.31	-6,664.71	-62.75
Government fees	-35,566.87	-21,756.73	-10,060.74	-89.11
Other expenses 1)	-2,114,153.71	-1,286,502.78	-572,562.97	-5,412.81
Expense equalisation	1,817,054.79	773,239.81	1,118,177.07	-2,909.45
Total expense	-36,483,203.85	-23,184,373.49	-9,522,433.55	-125,218.80
Ordinary net expenditure	-15,890,092.37	-10,413,402.84	-4,275,069.65	-68,468.34
Total transaction costs in the financial year <sup>2)</sup>	1,365,409.75			
Total expense ratio in percent <sup>2)</sup>		1.87	1.87	2.27
Ongoing charges in percent <sup>2)</sup>		1.90	1.90	2.30
Swiss total expense ratio in percent before performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)		1.87	1.87	2.27
Swiss total expense ratio in percent including performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)		1.87	1.87	2.27
Swiss performance fee in percent <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)		-		-

<sup>1)</sup> This item mainly comprises general management costs and custody fees.

The notes are an integral part of this annual report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> See notes to the Report.

<sup>\*</sup> Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

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	Unit class (R-T)* EUR	Unit class (CHF-A) EUR	Unit class (CHF-T) EUR	Unit class (SIA-A) EUR
Income				
Dividends	89,605.13	12,850.89	70,204.01	14,192.23
Interest on bonds	236,842.66	34,093.12	186,056.54	37,960.02
Income from refund of withholding tax	731.08	99.55	568.23	91.89
Bank interest	-5,092.21	-382.77	-3,375.33	-218.33
Other income	100.81	13.62	77.77	12.46
Income equalisation	-22,283.10	567.95	-6,544.90	915.18
Total income	299,904.37	47,242.36	246,986.32	52,953.45
Expense				
Interest expense	-2,323.96	-338.19	-1,832.53	-384.31
Management fee	-659,444.59	-76,614.32	-418,565.02	-55,459.40
Taxe d'abonnement	-15,155.31	-2,260.78	-12,212.97	-2,449.61
Publication and audit expenses	-3,506.61	-484.91	-2,683.16	-583.53
Typesetting, printing and postage and packaging for the annual and semi-annual reports	-561.88	-83.06	-441.02	-92.26
Registrar and transfer agent fee	-369.95	-52.27	-286.92	-59.72
Government fees	-541.78	-72.85	-420.74	-73.81
Other expenses 1)	-32,487.78	-4,694.73	-26,424.66	-6,055.44
Expense equalisation	52,958.22	-1,076.59	14,283.36	-1,058.79
Total expense	-661,433.64	-85,677.70	-448,583.66	-66,216.87
Ordinary net expenditure	-361,529.27	-38,435.34	-201,597.34	-13,263.42
Total expense ratio in percent <sup>2)</sup>	2.27	1.87	1.87	1.28
Ongoing charges in percent 2)	2.30	1.90	1.90	1.31
Swiss total expense ratio in percent before performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	2.27	1.87	1.87	1.28
Swiss total expense ratio in percent including performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	2.27	1.87	1.87	1.28
Swiss performance fee in percent <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	-	-		-

 $<sup>^{1)}\,\,</sup>$  This item mainly comprises general management costs and custody fees.

See notes to the Report.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

in the period under review from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022

	Unit class (SIA-T) EUR	Unit class (SIA CHF-T) EUR	Unit class (USD-A) EUR	Unit class (USD-T) EUR
Income				
Dividends	221,474.13	213,791.69	3,615.18	32,576.21
Interest on bonds	583,334.77	573,175.28	9,668.36	86,408.37
Income from refund of withholding tax	1,918.19	1,319.91	28.40	264.32
Bank interest	-17,317.39	14,953.20	-99.33	-1,212.17
Other income	260.19	164.35	3.86	35.90
Income equalisation	-322,050.57	439,043.59	-281.66	-5,262.74
Total income	467,619.32	1,242,448.02	12,934.81	112,809.8
Expense				
Interest expense	-5,606.19	-5,921.14	-95.61	-858.32
Management fee	-856,769.97	-821,385.02	-21,677.23	-194,332.6
Taxe d'abonnement	-34,479.85	-43,548.00	-649.91	-5,661.9
Publication and audit expenses	-9,452.35	-7,180.95	-132.14	-1,209.7
Typesetting, printing and postage and packaging for the annual and semi-annual reports	-1,321.39	-1,557.63	-24.11	-211.8
Registrar and transfer agent fee	-924.91	-830.47	-15.10	-134.0
Government fees	-1,411.11	-852.88	-19.83	-187.4
Other expenses 1)	-79,044.27	-79,813.89	-2,292.67	-12,862.5
Expense equalisation	414,900.96	-580,760.32	524.42	10,350.8
Total expense	-574,109.08	-1,541,850.30	-24,382.18	-205,107.7
Ordinary net expenditure	-106,489.76	-299,402.28	-11,447.37	-92,297.8
Total expense ratio in percent <sup>2)</sup>	1.27	1.27	1.95	1.8
Ongoing charges in percent <sup>2)</sup>	1.30	1.30	1.98	1.9
Swiss total expense ratio in percent before performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	1.27	1.27	1.95	1.8
Swiss total expense ratio in percent including performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	1.27	1.27	1.95	1.8
Swiss performance fee in percent <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	-	-	-	

<sup>1)</sup> This item mainly comprises general management costs and custody fees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> See notes to the Report.

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	Unit class (SIA USD-T) EUR
Income	12.062.50
Dividends	13,862.70
Interest on bonds	36,292.62
Income from refund of withholding tax	114.71
Bank interest	-797.38
Other income	15.58
Income equalisation	-14,360.30
Total income	35,127.93
Expense	
Interest expense	-355.25
Management fee	-52,870.01
Taxe d'abonnement	-2,288.09
Publication and audit expenses	-506.29
Typesetting, printing and postage and packaging for the annual and	200.2
semi-annual reports	-87.53
Registrar and transfer agent fee	-55.91
Government fees	-79.82
Other expenses 1)	-5,999.18
Expense equalisation	18,425.27
Total expense	-43,816.81
Ordinary net expenditure	-8,688.88
Total expense ratio in percent <sup>2)</sup>	1.29
Ongoing charges in percent <sup>2)</sup>	1.32
Swiss total expense ratio in percent before performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	1.29
Swiss total expense ratio in percent including performance fee <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	1.29
Swiss performance fee in percent <sup>2)</sup> (for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022)	-

<sup>1)</sup> This item mainly comprises general management costs and custody fees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> See notes to the Report.

# Performance in percent\*

#### As of 31 December 2022

Fund	ISIN WKN	Unit class currency	6 months	1 year	3 years	10 years
Ethna-AKTIV (A)	LU0136412771	EUR	-4.45%	-6.54%	-0.64%	16.38%
since 15/02/2002	764930					
Ethna-AKTIV (CHF-A)	LU0666480289	CHF	-4.66%	-6.88%	-1.80%	12.72%
since 04/10/2012	A1JEEK					
Ethna-AKTIV (CHF-T)	LU0666484190	CHF	-4.68%	-6.88%	-1.79%	11.62%
since 30/09/2011	A1JEEL					
Ethna-AKTIV (R-A)**	LU0564177706	EUR	-4.64%	-6.92%	-1.79%	10.37%
since 28/11/2012	A1CV36					
Ethna-AKTIV (R-T)**	LU0564184074	EUR	-4.64%	-6.92%	-1.83%	11.13%
since 25/04/2012	A1CVQR					
Ethna-AKTIV (SIA-A)	LU0841179350	EUR	-4.18%	-6.00%	1.19%	
since 04/04/2013	A1J5U4					
Ethna-AKTIV (SIA CHF-T)	LU0985093136	CHF	-4.39%	-6.29%	-0.05%	
since 04/11/2014	A1W66B					
Ethna-AKTIV (SIA-T)	LU0841179863	EUR	-4.16%	-5.98%	1.12%	22.66%
since 20/11/2012	A1J5U5					
Ethna-AKTIV (SIA USD-T)	LU0985094373	USD	-2.84%	-4.45%	4.66%	
since 15/01/2015	A1W66F					
Ethna-AKTIV (T)	LU0431139764	EUR	-4.45%	-6.54%	-0.60%	16.17%
since 16/07/2009	A0X8U6					
Ethna-AKTIV (USD-A)	LU0985093219	USD	-3.41%	-5.32%	2.31%	
since 21/07/2014	A1W66C					
Ethna-AKTIV (USD-T)	LU0985094027	USD	-3.20%	-5.05%	2.84%	
since 31/03/2014	A1W66D					

On the basis of published unit values (BVI method and AMAS Guidelines on the Calculation and Publication of Performance of Collective Investment Schemes of 16 May 2008 (version of 5 August 2021)).

Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

Past performance is no indicator of current or future performance. The performance data do not include commissions and charges incurred in the issue and redemption of units.

# Change in number of units in circulation

Number   N	_				
Number   N			•	•	Unit class (R-T)*
Units issued 212,881.628 1,324,557.540 5,458.901 42,515.748		` '	` '	, ,	Number
Units in circulation at end of period under review  Unit class (CHF-A) (CHF-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (SIA-T) (SIA-T) (UNITS in circulation at start of period under review  Units in circulation at start of period under review  Units in circulation at start of period under review  Units in circulation at start of period under review  Units in circulation at start of period under review  Units in circulation at end of period under review  Units in circulation at end of period under review  Units in circulation at end of period under review  Units in circulation at end of period under review  Unit class SIA (CHF-T) (USD-A) (USD-T) (USD-T) (USD-T) Number Numbe	Units in circulation at start of period under review	9,849,236.798	4,165,081.636	58,601.279	288,276.690
Unit class	Units issued	212,881.628	1,324,557.540	5,458.901	42,515.748
Unit class (CHF-A) (CHF-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (CHF-A) (CHF-T) (SIA-A) (SIA-T) (SI	Units redeemed	-949,279.140	-1,931,285.310	-3,692.924	-94,307.077
CHF-A  Number   Num	Units in circulation at end of period under review	9,112,839.286	3,558,353.866	60,367.256	236,485.361
CHF-A  Number   Num					
Units in circulation at start of period under review 41,508.128 211,754.850 10,849.257 171,960.751 4,416.479 17,336.015 7,269.921 62,255.012 4,416.479 17,336.015 7,269.921 62,255.012 1,0115 in circulation at end of period under review 40,206.792 190,630.259 8,908.037 70,398.570 1,015 in circulation at start of period under review 40,206.792 1,015 in circulation at start of period under review 91,444.732 11,600.417 106,165.227 9,340.500 1,015 issued 132,079.393 4,520.565 14,073.528 220.000 1,015 redeemed -355.000 -4,693.579 -27,031.289 -3,600.000			•		Unit class (SIA-T)
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Units in circulation at end of period under review  Unit class SIA (CHF-T) (USD-A) (USD-T) (USD-T) (USD-T) Number Number Number Number Number Number Sissued 132,079.393 4,520.565 14,073.528 220.000 Units redeemed -355.000 -4,693.579 -27,031.289 -3,600.000	Units in circulation at start of period under review	41,508.128	211,754.850	10,849.257	171,960.751
Unit class SIA (CHF-T) (USD-A) (USD-T) (USD-T) (USD-T) Number Number Number Number Units is sued 132,079.393 4,520.565 14,073.528 220.000 Units redeemed 240,206.792 190,630.259 8,908.037 70,398.570 70,398.57	Units issued	4,416.479	17,336.015	7,269.921	62,255.012
Unit class SIA (CHF-T) (USD-A) (USD-T) (USD-T) (USD-T) Number Number Number Number Number Number SIA (USD-T) Number Units in circulation at start of period under review 91,444.732 11,600.417 106,165.227 9,340.500 Units issued 132,079.393 4,520.565 14,073.528 220.000 Units redeemed -355.000 -4,693.579 -27,031.289 -3,600.000	Units redeemed	-5,717.815	-38,460.606	-9,211.141	-163,817.193
CHF-T  (USD-A) (USD-T) (USD-T)   Number   Numb	Units in circulation at end of period under review	40,206.792	190,630.259	8,908.037	70,398.570
CHF-T  (USD-A) (USD-T) (USD-T)   Number   Numb					
Units in circulation at start of period under review       91,444.732       11,600.417       106,165.227       9,340.500         Units issued       132,079.393       4,520.565       14,073.528       220.000         Units redeemed       -355.000       -4,693.579       -27,031.289       -3,600.000		(CHF-T)	(USD-A)	(USD-T)	(USD-T)
Units issued     132,079.393     4,520.565     14,073.528     220.000       Units redeemed     -355.000     -4,693.579     -27,031.289     -3,600.000	Units in sirculation at start of pariod under review				
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	Units in circulation at end of period under review	223,169.125	11,427.403	93,207.466	5,960.500

<sup>\*</sup> Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

# Statement of net assets of Ethna-AKTIV as of 31 December 2022

# Statement of net assets as of 31 December 2022

ISIN	Securities		Acquisitions in the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	% share of NFA <sup>1)</sup>
Equities, rights an	d profit participation							
certificates								
Securities traded	on an exchange							
Germany	DELLE . 1	ELD	^	0	125.000	0.6500	2.7/2.750.00	0.10
DE000A2NBVD5	DFV Deutsche Familienversicherung AG	EUR	0	0	435,000	8.6500	3,762,750.00	0.19
	Failinenversicherung AG						0.700.750.00	0.40
							3,762,750.00	0.19
Ireland								
IE00BLP1HW54	AON Plc.	USD	40,000	15,000	25,000	303.3800	7,111,579.93	0.37
IE00BZ12WP82	Linde Plc.	EUR	45,000	95,000	30,000	309.5500	9,286,500.00	0.48
			,	,	,		16,398,079.93	0.85
							10,000,070.00	0.00
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United States of A	Merica Abbott Laboratories	LICD	0	105 000	05.000	110 2100	0.926.010.60	0.51
US0028241000 US02079K3059	Alphabet Inc.	USD USD	110,000	105,000 10,000	95,000 110,000	110.3100 88.4500	9,826,019.69 9,122,831.69	0.51 0.47
US0231351067	Amazon.com Inc.	USD	166,000	39,000	135,000	84.1800	· / /	0.47
US0378331007 US0378331005	Amazon.com mc. Apple Inc.	USD	140,000	39,000	140,000	129.6100	10,655,696.20	0.88
US0382221051	Applied Materials Inc.	USD	140,000	105,000	95,000	97.1400	17,013,970.93 8,652,883.26	0.88
US0605051046	Bank of America	USD	450,000	980,000	190,000	33.1400	5,903,985.00	0.43
030003031040	Corporation	CSD	450,000	760,000	170,000	33.1700	3,703,763.00	0.50
US0846707026	Berkshire Hathaway Inc.	USD	0	57,000	33,000	309.0600	9,563,037.97	0.49
US09247X1019	Blackrock Inc.	USD	23,000	8,000	15,000	716.1500	10,072,433.19	0.52
US1011371077	Boston Scientific	USD	420,000	150,000	270,000	46.3500	11,734,177.22	0.60
	Corporation							
US1491231015	Caterpillar Inc.	USD	0	70,000	55,000	240.2000	12,387,248.01	0.64
US15135B1017	Centene Corporation	USD	215,000	75,000	140,000	81.7200	10,727,426.16	0.55
US16119P1084	Charter Communications	USD	17,000	0	17,000	338.9400	5,402,700.42	0.28
	Inc. [Del.]							
US17275R1023	Cisco Systems Inc.	USD	465,000	45,000	420,000	47.5000	18,706,047.82	0.96
US20825C1045	ConocoPhillips	USD	155,000	60,000	95,000	116.3900	10,367,604.31	0.53
US2441991054	Deere & Co.	USD	11,000	0	11,000	428.6400	4,421,040.79	0.23
US5324571083	Eli Lilly and Company	USD	0	55,000	45,000	367.0200	15,486,075.95	0.80
US29444U7000	Equinix Inc.	USD	20,000	7,000	13,000	665.3700	8,110,464.14	0.42
US30231G1022	Exxon Mobil Corporation	USD	180,000	70,000	110,000	109.2000	11,263,009.85	0.58
US31428X1063	Fedex Corporation	USD	20,000	85,000	45,000	175.5500	7,407,173.00	0.38
US3377381088	Fisery Inc.	USD	160,000	55,000	105,000	101.5000	9,992,967.65	0.52
US35671D8570	Freeport-McMoRan Inc.	USD	79,000	0	79,000	38.3100	2,837,777.78	0.15
US4581401001	Intel Corporation	USD	390,000	140,000	250,000	26.2100	6,143,928.74	0.32
US4781601046	Johnson & Johnson	USD	150,000	80,000	70,000	177.5600	11,654,195.97	0.60
US46625H1005	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	USD	135,000	255,000	60,000	133.2200	7,494,796.06	0.39
US49271V1008	Keurig Dr Pepper Inc.	USD	49,150	470,000	230,000	35.8300	7,727,051.10	0.40

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The notes are an integral part of this annual report.

ISIN	Securities		Acquisitions in the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	% share of NFA 1)
United States of	America (continued)			unus remen				
	Mastercard Inc.	USD	45,000	15,000	30,000	348.2100	9,794,936.71	0.50
US5801351017	McDonald's Corporation	USD	45,000	70,000	30,000	265.9300	7,480,450.07	0.39
	Merck & Co. Inc.	USD	300,000	160,000	140,000	110.8200	14,547,398.03	0.39
	Meta Platforms Inc.	USD	159,000	64,000	95,000	120.2600	10,712,330.05	0.75
US5951121038	Micron Technology Inc.	USD	250,000	108,000	142,000	50.6500	6,743,834.97	0.35
US5949181045	Microsoft Corporation	USD	58,000	105,000	38,000	241.0100	8,587,323.02	0.44
US6174464486	Morgan Stanley	USD	185,000	120,000	65,000	85.2400	5,195,124.24	0.27
US64110L1061	Netflix Inc.	USD	67,000	46,000	21,000	291.1200	5,732,320.68	0.30
US65339F1012	NextEra Energy Inc.	USD	205,000	70,000	135,000	84.0800	10,643,037.97	0.55
US6541061031	NIKE Inc.	USD	50,000	175,000	25,000	117.3500	2,750,820.44	0.14
US7043261079	Paychex Inc.	USD	125,000	45,000	80,000	116.4600	8,735,864.98	0.45
US70450Y1038	PayPal Holdings Inc.	USD	86,000	157,000	19,000	70.5600	1,257,046.41	0.06
US7134481081	PepsiCo Inc.	USD	50,000	190,000	70,000	181.9800	11,944,303.80	0.62
US79466L3024	Salesforce Inc.	USD	80,000	30,000	50,000	132.5400	6,213,783.40	0.32
US87612E1064	Target Corporation	USD	50,000	20,000	30,000	148.3700	4,173,558.37	0.22
US4370761029	The Home Depot Inc.	USD	35,000	75,000	25,000	320.4100	7,510,782.93	0.39
US7427181091	The Procter & Gamble Co.	USD	0	135,000	65,000	152.5900	9,299,906.24	0.48
US2546871060	The Walt Disney Co.	USD	150,000	55,000	95,000	87.1800	7,765,682.14	0.40
US8835561023	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.	USD	0	15,000	25,000	557.0100	13,056,962.03	0.67
US8725901040	T-Mobile US Inc.	USD	100,000	74,000	26,000	139.4000	3,398,406.00	0.18
US92826C8394	VISA Inc.	USD	75,000	25,000	50,000	208.0600	9,754,336.62	0.50
US9311421039	Walmart Inc.	USD	180,000	120,000	60,000	142.1500	7,997,187.06	0.41
US94106L1098	Waste Management Inc.	USD	11,000	4,000	7,000	158.8700	1,042,747.30	0.05
							417,012,686.36	21.51
Securities trade	d on an exchange						437,173,516.29	22.55
Securities admit Switzerland	ted to or included on organise	d mark	ets					
CH0510341644	Sandpiper Digital Payments AG	CHF	0	0	8,991,901	0.0100	91,316.15	0.00
							91,316.15	0.00
Securities admit	ted to or included on organise	d mark	ets				91,316.15	0.00
Unlisted securiti	ies							
Luxembourg								
LU1333070875	JAB Consumer Partners SCA SICAR - Global	USD	0	0	41,731	1,775.6500	69,479,417.01	3.58
LU1121643917	Consumer Brands JAB Consumer Partners SCA SICAR Class A1	EUR	0	0	23,085	1,785.8600	41,225,894.83	2.13
							110,705,311.84	5.71
Switzerland								
CH0046409444	Mountain Partners AG	CHF	0	0	440,431	11.0700	4,951,326.46	0.26
							4,951,326.46	0.26
Unlisted securiti	ies						115,656,638.30	5.97
Equities, rights	and profit participation certific	ates					552,921,470.74	28.52

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Securities traded on an exchange   EUR   CI10353945394   3.000%   gategroup Fin Reg.S.   1,080,000   5,420,000   5,545,000   66.0000   3,716,563.42   0.19   0.10   0	ISIN	Securities	5	Acquisitions in the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	% share of NFA 1)
CH0353945394   3.00%   gategroup Fin Reg.S.   1,080,000   5,420,000   5,545,000   66,0000   3,716,563.42   0.19		on an ex	change						
EUR   XS2540585564   4.125%   AB Electrolux EMTN   Reg.S. v. 22/2026)   Pederal Republic of Germany Reg.S. ILB v. 15(2026)   Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. V. 13(2023)   Pederal Republic of Germany Reg.S. v. 14(2024)   Pederal	CH0353945394	3.000%		1,080,000	5,420,000	5,545,000	66.0000	3,716,563.42	0.19
XS2540585564   4.12%   AB Electrolux EMTN   Rep.S. v. 22(2026)   Cernamy Reg.S. v. 22(2026)   Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. ILB   V. 202000   Cernamy Reg.S. V. 13(2023)   Cernamy Reg.S. V. 14(2024)   Cernamy Reg.S. V.								3,716,563.42	0.19
XS2540585564   4.12%   AB Electrolux EMTN   Rep.S. v. 22(2026)   Cernamy Reg.S. v. 22(2026)   Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. ILB   V. 202000   Cernamy Reg.S. V. 13(2023)   Cernamy Reg.S. V. 14(2024)   Cernamy Reg.S. V.	FIIR								
DE0001030567   0.100%   Federal Republic of Germany Reg. S. LLB v.15(2026)   0.5,000,000   0.5,000	XS2540585564	4.125%		2,000,000	0	2,000,000	101.3510	2,027,020.00	0.10
DE0001102325   2.009%   Federal Republic of Germany Reg. S. v.13(2023)   95,000,000   0 95,000,000   100.0610   95,057,950.00   4.90	DE0001030567	0.100%	Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. ILB	30,000,000	0	30,000,000	99.5190	36,270,794.26	1.87
DE0001102317   1,500%   Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. v.13(2023)   95,000,000   0   95,000,000   99,9310   94,934,450.00   4.89	DE0001102325	2.000%	Federal Republic of	95,000,000	0	95,000,000	100.0610	95,057,950.00	4.90
DE0001102366   1,000%   Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. v.14(2024)   5,000,000   0   95,000,000   97,6950   92,810,250.00   4.78	DE0001102317	1.500%	Federal Republic of	95,000,000	0	95,000,000	99.9310	94,934,450.00	4.89
DE0001141778   0.000%   Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S. V.18(2023)   EnBW International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green Bond v.22(2026)   Sembly International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green Bond v.22(2029)   SE05395278   4.049%   EnBW International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green Bond v.22(2029)   SE0532991462   0.125%   Euroclear Bank S.A.NV EMTN Reg.S. v.20(2025)   SE0538167909   3.625%   Euroclear Bank S.A.NV EMTN Reg.S. v.22(2027)   SE0015657903   4.250%   Heimstaden AB Reg.S.   0   0   10,000,000   92.2890   4,614,450.00   0.31   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2027)   SE0015657903   4.250%   Heimstaden AB Reg.S.   0   0   10,000,000   99.7690   5,986,140.00   0.37   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2027)   SE0015657903   4.250%   Heimstaden AB Reg.S.   0   0   10,000,000   43.0170   4,301,700.00   0.22   Control of the sembly Reg.S. v.21(2026)   Sembly Reg.S. v.21(2026)   Sembly Reg.S. v.21(2026)   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2025)   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2026)   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2026)   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2026)   Sembly Reg.S. v.22(2026)	DE0001102366	1.000%	Federal Republic of	95,000,000	0	95,000,000	97.6950	92,810,250.00	4.78
XS2558395351   3.625%   EnBW International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green Bond v.22(2026)   EnBW International Finance Bond v.22(2027)   EnBW International Finance Bond v.22(2029)   EnBW International Finance Bond v.22(2026)   EnBW International Finance Bond v.22(2028)   End Vision Finance Bond v.22(2025)   End Vision Finance Bond v.22(2026)   End Visi	DE0001141778	0.000%	Federal Republic of	50,000,000	0	50,000,000	99.5140	49,757,000.00	2.56
SE2558395278   4.049%   EnBW International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green BOND 4.22(029)   5.000,000   0.000,000	XS2558395351	3.625%	EnBW International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green	19,000,000	0	19,000,000	100.3860	19,073,340.00	0.98
BE6322991462 0.125% Euroclear Bank S.A./NV 5,000,000 0 5,000,000 92.2890 4,614,450.00 0.24 EMTN Reg.S. v.20(2025)	XS2558395278	4.049%	EnBW International Finance BV EMTN Reg.S. Green	1,000,000	0	1,000,000	100.0730	1,000,730.00	0.05
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SE0015657903   4.250%   Heimstaden AB Reg.S.   0   0   10,000,000   71.2120   7,121,200.00   0.37	BE6338167909	3.625%	Euroclear Bank S.A./NV	6,000,000	0	6,000,000	99.7690	5,986,140.00	0.31
XS2369020644   6.375%   Ideal Standard International   0   0   10,000,000   43.0170   4,301,700.00   0.22	SE0015657903	4.250%	Heimstaden AB Reg.S.	0	0	10,000,000	71.2120	7,121,200.00	0.37
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	US42824CBK45	1.750%	Co. v.20(2026)		4,000,000	1,000,000		ŕ	0.04
0 0,000,000 2,000,000 1,750,071.20 0.07	US53522KAA16 US654106AF00	4.800% 2.375%	Linde Inc. v.22(2024) NIKE Inc. v.16(2026)	5,000,000 0	0 8,000,000	5,000,000 2,000,000	100.2850 92.5760	4,701,594.00 1,736,071.26	0.24 0.09

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ISIN	Securities	5	Acquisitions in the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	share of NFA 1)
USD (continued)								
US75625QAE98	3.000%	Reckitt Benckiser Treasury Services Plc. 144A v.17(2027)	3,000,000	0	4,000,000	93.0840	3,491,195.50	0.18
US742718ER62	2.450%	The Procter & Gamble Co. v.16(2026)	0	0	1,000,000	92.8560	870,661.04	0.04
US25468PDM59	1.850%	The Walt Disney Co Reg.S.v.16(2026)	0	5,000,000	5,000,000	90.5850	4,246,835.44	0.22
US872540AQ25	2.250%	TJX Companies Inc. v.16(2026)	2,000,000	0	3,000,000	91.7950	2,582,137.83	0.13
US912828XT22	2.000%	United States of America v.17(2024)	60,000,000	0	60,000,000	96.4121	54,240,286.36	2.80
US9128283F58	2.250%	United States of America v.17(2027)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	92.3672	1,732,155.42	0.09
US9128285M81	3.125%	United States of America v.18(2028)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	95.6211	1,793,175.70	0.09
US912828YS30	1.750%	United States of America v.19(2029)	92,000,000	90,000,000	2,000,000	87.6094	1,642,932.49	0.08
US91282CAP68	0.125%	United States of America v.20(2023)	0	0	50,000,000	96.4922	45,237,781.53	2.33
US91282CAV37	0.875%	United States of America v.20(2030)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	80.2891	1,505,655.17	0.08
US91282CCN92	0.125%	United States of America v.21(2023)	0	0	60,000,000	97.3848	54,787,491.42	2.82
US91282CDR97	0.750%	United States of America v.21(2023)	100,000,000	0	100,000,000	96.1895	90,191,704.64	4.65
US91282CDA62	0.250%	United States of America v.21(2023)	50,000,000	0	50,000,000	96.7480	45,357,734.18	2.34
US91282CDD02	0.375%	United States of America v.21(2023)	5,000,000	0	55,000,000	96.5020	49,766,595.55	2.57
US91282CDM01	0.500%	United States of America v.21(2023)	100,000,000	0	100,000,000	96.2637	90,261,295.83	4.65
US91282CEG24	2.250%	United States of America v.22(2024)	50,000,000	0	50,000,000	97.0801	45,513,398.03	2.35
US91282CDV00	0.875%	United States of America v.22(2024)	50,000,000	0	50,000,000	96.0098	45,011,610.88	2.32
Securities traded	on an ev	chango					551,260,429.47 .055,285,580.90	28.40 54.37
			-				,000,200,000.90	54.57
EUR		ncluded on organised marke						
		ERWE Immobilien AG v.19(2023)	125,000	0	3,125,000	80.5000	2,515,625.00	0.13
DE000A254N04	5.000%	Groß & Partner Grundstücksentwicklungs- gesellschaft mbH v.20(2025)	0	0	5,000,000	84.0000	4,200,000.00	0.22
DE000A3KRAP3	8.500%	Metalcorp Group S.A. Reg.S. v.21(2026)	0	0	4,000,000	48.3970	1,935,880.00	0.10
							8,651,505.00	0.45
USD US00287YBV02	2.950%	AbbVie Inc. v.19(2026)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000	93.3840	875,611.81	0.05
US02079KAH05 US023135CM69	0.450% 4.700%	Alphabet Inc. v.20(2025) Amazon.com Inc. v.22(2024)	5,000,000	8,000,000 0	2,000,000 5,000,000	90.3240 100.0430	1,693,839.66 4,690,248.48	0.09 0.24
US023135CE44	3.000%	Amazon.com Inc. v.22(2025)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	96.8010	1,815,302.39	0.09
US026874DH71	3.900%	American International Group Inc. v.16(2026)	0	4,500,000	500,000	96.9870	454,697.61	0.02
US031162DD92	3.000%	Amgen Inc. Green Bond v.22(2029)	1,000,000	0	1,000,000	89.2000	836,380.68	0.04
US031162BY57 US037833EB24	3.125% 0.700%	Amgen Inc. v.15(2025) Apple Inc. v.21(2026)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000 5,000,000	96.2040 89.0760	902,053.45 4,176,090.01	0.05 0.22

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ISIN	Securities		Acquisitions in the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	% share of NFA 1)
USD (continued)								
US00206RJX17	2.300%	AT & T Inc. v.20(2027)	0	0	1,000,000	89.3240	837,543.37	0.04
US00206RML32	1.700%	AT&T Inc. v.21(2026)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	90.4670	2,544,782.00	0.13
US110122CM85	2.900%	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.	1,000,000	0	1,000,000		912,273.79	0.05
US141781BU75	3.500%	v.19(2024) Cargill Inc. 144A	5,000,000	0	5,000,000	97.1300	4,553,680.26	0.23
HG14012D2H02	0.0000/	v.22(2025)	1 000 000	10 000 000	1 000 000	00.0470	044 222 55	0.04
US14913R2H93	0.800%	Caterpillar Financial Services Corporation v.20(2025)	1,000,000	10,000,000	1,000,000	90.0470	844,322.55	0.04
US172967NX53	5.610%	Citigroup Inc. Fix-to-Float v.22(2026)	5,000,000	0	5,000,000	100.4760	4,710,548.52	0.24
US20030NCR08	3.700%	Comcast Corporation v.18(2024)	1,000,000	0	1,000,000	98.6030	924,547.59	0.05
US22160KAN54	1.375%	Costco Wholesale Corporation v.20(2027)	0	0	1,000,000	87.9560	824,716.36	0.04
US126650DQ03	1.875%	CVS Health Corporation v.20(2031)	0	0	1,000,000	78.8900	739,709.33	0.04
US233853AF73	2.000%	Daimler Trucks Finance North America LLC 144A v.21(2026)	5,000,000	0	5,000,000	88.2640	4,138,021.57	0.21
USF12033TP59	2.947%	Danone S.A. Reg.S. v.16(2026)	4,000,000	4,000,000	5,000,000	93.2910	4,373,699.02	0.23
US278642AV58	1.900%	eBay Inc. v.20(2025)	5,000,000	0	5,000,000	93.8490	4,399,859.35	0.23
US285512AE93	1.850%	Electronic Arts Inc. v.21(2031)	0	0	1,000,000	79.0400	741,115.80	0.04
US29446MAJ18	1.750%	Equinor ASA v.20(2026)	0	0	4,000,000	91.6610	3,437,824.66	0.18
US370334CF96	4.000%	General Mills Inc. v.18(2025)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000	97.9040	917,993.44	0.05
US375558BX02	1.200%	Gilead Sciences Inc. v.20(2027)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000	85.1950	798,827.94	0.04
US40434LAB18	3.000%	HP Inc. v.20(2027)	0	2,500,000	1,000,000	91.7020	859,840.60	0.04
US40434LAJ44	2.650%	HP Inc. v.21(2031)	1,000,000	0	1,000,000	78.4720	735,789.97	0.04
US458140BD13	2.875%	Intel Corporation v.17(2024)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000	97.5290	914,477.26	0.05
US46124HAB24	0.950%	Intuit Inc. v.20(2025)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000	91.2500	855,602.44	0.04
US24422EVW64	1.300%	John Deere Capital Corporation v.21(2026)	0	0	5,000,000	88.7240	4,159,587.44	0.21
US478160BY94	2.450%	Johnson & Johnson v.16(2026)	0	0	1,000,000	94.3730	884,885.14	0.05
US46647PBL94	2.522%	JPMorgan Chase & Co. Fix-to-Float v.20(2031)	4,000,000	2,000,000	6,000,000	82.2030	4,624,641.35	0.24
US46625HKC33	3.125%	JPMorgan Chase & Co. v.15(2025)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	96.7490	1,814,327.24	0.09
US487836BW75	4.300%	Kellogg Co. v.18(2028)	0	0	1,000,000	97.6300	915,424.29	0.05
US49271VAH33		Keurig Dr Pepper Inc. v.19(2025)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000		929,817.16	0.05
US49271VAN01	2.250%	Keurig Dr Pepper Inc. v.21(2031)	2,000,000	0	3,000,000	80.7270	2,270,801.69	0.12
US49271VAQ32	4.050%	Keurig Dr Pepper Inc. v.22(2032)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	91.5850	2,576,230.66	0.13
US50220PAD50	2.500%	LSEGA Financing Plc. 144A v.21(2031)	0	2,000,000	2,000,000	83.3860	1,563,731.83	0.08
US571676AA35	2.700%	Mars Inc. 144A v.19(2025)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	95.4250	1,789,498.36	0.09
US571676AL99	1.625%	Mars Inc. 144A v.20(2032)	3,000,000	2,000,000	5,000,000		3,560,900.14	0.18
US57636QAN43	2.000%	Mastercard Inc. v.19(2025)	4,000,000	0	4,000,000	94.7670	3,554,317.86	0.18
US57636QAU85	2.000%	Mastercard Inc. v.21(2031)	3,000,000	1,500,000	4,000,000	81.0920	3,041,425.22	0.16
US58013MFL37	1.450%	McDonald's Corporation v.20(2025)	0	4,000,000	1,000,000	91.9460	862,128.46	0.04
US60920LAR50	1.250%	Mondelez International Holdings Netherlands BV 144A v.21(2026)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	87.1760	1,634,805.44	0.08

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The notes are an integral part of this annual report.

ISIN	Securities	3	Acquisitions in the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	% share of NFA 1)
USD (continued)								
US609207AU94	1.500%	Mondelez International Inc. v.20(2025)	2,000,000	4,000,000	3,000,000	92.9170	2,613,699.02	0.13
US63111XAD30	1.650%	Nasdaq Inc. v.20(2031)	0	0	1,000,000	77.0780	722,719.17	0.04
US63743HFE71	3.450%	National Rural Utilities Cooperative Fin v.22(2025)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	96.7070	1,813,539.62	0.09
US641062AT11	1.250%	Nestlé Holdings Inc. 144A v.20(2030)	2,000,000	3,000,000	3,000,000	78.5620	2,209,901.55	0.11
US67066GAL86	0.584%	NVIDIA Corporation v.21(2024)	1,000,000	0	1,000,000	94.5160	886,225.97	0.05
US67066GAN43	2.000%		0	1,000,000	1,000,000	80.7210	756,877.64	0.04
US68389XCC74	1.650%	Oracle Corporation v.21(2026)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	89.8440	2,527,257.38	0.13
US70450YAD58	2.650%	PayPal Holdings Inc. v.19(2026)	0	0	5,000,000	92.6230	4,342,381.62	0.22
US713448EQ79	2.250%	PepsiCo Inc. v.20(2025)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	95.2930	1,787,022.97	0.09
US717081EX73	0.800%	Pfizer Inc. v.20(2025)	0	9,000,000	1,000,000	91.6420	859,278.01	0.04
US74460DAG43	1.500%	Public Storage v.21(2026)	0	0	1,000,000	89.2090	836,465.07	0.04
US747525AU71	3.250%	QUALCOMM Inc. v.17(2027)	0	0	1,000,000	95.4610	895,086.73	0.05
US771196BS07	0.991%	Roche Holdings Inc. 144Av.21(2026)	0	0	1,000,000	89.3190	837,496.48	0.04
US771196BX91	2.076%	Roche Holdings Inc. 144A v.21(2031)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	81.7190	2,298,706.05	0.12
US771196BU52	1.882%	Roche Holdings Inc. 144A v.22(2024)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	96.6090	2,717,552.74	0.14
US778296AB92	4.600%	Ross Stores Inc. v.20(2025)	0	0	1,000,000	99.5640	933,558.37	0.05
US79466LAG95	0.625%	Salesforce Inc. v.21(2024)	1,000,000	0	1,000,000	94.0550	881,903.42	0.05
US79466LAJ35	1.950%	Salesforce Inc. v.21(2031)	0	0	1,000,000	80.4430	754,270.98	0.04
US855244AK58	2.450%	Starbucks Corporation v.16(2026)	0	0	1,000,000	93.0000	872,011.25	0.04
US857477BX07	5.751%	State Street Corporation Fix- to-Float v.22(2026)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	102.6660	2,887,932.49	0.15
US882508BK94	1.125%	Texas Instruments Inc. v.21(2026)	0	0	2,000,000	88.5830	1,661,190.81	0.09
US191216CL26	1.750%	The Coca-Cola Co. v.19(2024)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	95.5050	1,790,998.59	0.09
US191216DK34	2.000%	The Coca-Cola Co. v.21(2031)	2,000,000	2,000,000	4,000,000	83.0300	3,114,111.58	0.16
US29736RAN08	2.000%	The Estée Lauder Companies Inc. v.19(2024)	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	95.0470	1,782,409.75	0.09
US29736RAR12	1.950%	The Estée Lauder Companies Inc. v.21(2031)	0	2,000,000	2,000,000	81.3050	1,524,706.99	0.08
US38141GZV93	5.700%	The Goldman Sachs Group Inc. v.22(2024)	5,000,000	0	5,000,000	101.3380	4,750,961.09	0.24
US427866BF42	0.900%	The Hershey Co. v.20(2025)	0	0	1,000,000	91.6790	859,624.94	0.04
US437076CF79	1.375%	The Home Depot Inc. v.21(2031)	0	2,000,000	2,000,000	77.8200	1,459,353.02	0.08
US437076CM21	2.700%	The Home Depot Inc. v.22(2025)	3,000,000	0	3,000,000	96.0570	2,702,025.32	0.14
US742718FL83	0.550%	The Procter & Gamble Co. v.20(2025)	0	9,000,000	1,000,000	89.9360	843,281.76	0.04
US883556CS94	1.215%	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. v.21(2024)	5,000,000	4,000,000	1,000,000	94.0060	881,443.98	0.05
US872540AW92	1.600%	TJX Companies Inc. v.20(2031)	0	2,000,000	2,000,000	78.3530	1,469,348.34	0.08
US91324PEN87	5.150%	UnitedHealth Group Inc. v.22(2025)	5,000,000	0	5,000,000	101.4650	4,756,915.14	0.25

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ISIN	Securities		ir	Acquisitions on the period under review	Disposals in the period under review	Holdings	Price	Price EUR	% share of NFA 1)
USD (continued)									
US92343VDD38	2.625%	Verizon Communicat Inc. v.16(2026)	ions	4,000,000	4,000,000	5,000,000	92.6050	4,341,537.74	0.22
US92343VGJ70	2.550%	Verizon Communicat Inc. v.21(2031)	ions	4,000,000	0	5,000,000	82.7360	3,878,856.07	0.20
US918204BA53	2.400%	V.F. Corporation v.20	0(2025)	4,000,000	4,000,000	5,000,000	94.0580	4,409,657.76	0.23
US92826CAD48	3.150%	VISA Inc. v.15(2025)		2,000,000	10,000,000	2,000,000	96.5780	1,811,120.49	0.09
US931142EM13	3.050%	Walmart Inc. v.19(20)		0	0	1,000,000		906,057.20	0.05
US931142ER00	1.050%	Walmart Inc. v.21(20)	26)	4,000,000	0	5,000,000		4,167,135.49	0.21
US88579YBM21	2.650%	3M Co. v.20(2025)		2,000,000	0	2,000,000	95.7930	1,796,399.44	0.09
								170,032,944.22	8.74
Securities admitte	ed to or in	cluded on organised	markets					178,684,449.22	9.19
Bonds								1,233,970,030.12	63.56
Securities admitte EUR DE000A254NA6		PREOS Global Office Estate & Technology PREOS Global Office Estate & Technology CV v.19(2024)	e Real AG/ e Real	0	0	5,000,000	47.3000	2,365,000.00	0.12
		,						2,365,000.00	0.12
Securities admitte	ed to or in	cluded on organised	markets					2,365,000.00	0.12
Convertible bond	s							2,365,000.00	0.12
Certificates Securities traded United States of A JE00B78CGV99	America Wisdom Securities Brent Cru	Free Commodity Uses Ltd./Bloombergude Sub Totaludex Cert.	USD	425,000	0	425,000	46.2050	18,412,681.67	0.95
		,						18,412,681.67	0.95
Securities traded	on an exc	change						18,412,681.67	0.95
Certificates								18.412.681.67	0.95
Securities holding	gs							1,807,669,182.53	93.15
Futures contracts Short positions USD									
E-Mini S&P 500 I	Index Futu	re March 2023		0	600	-600		-847,327.71	-0.04
								-847,327.71	-0.04
Short positions								-847,327.71	-0.04
Futures contracts								-847,327.71	-0.04
Cash at banks - C	current ac	count 2)						108,434,264.29	5.59
Other receivables	and paya	ibles (net)						24,722,955.86	1.30
Net fund assets in	n EUR							1,939,979,074.97	100.00

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> See notes to the Report.

# Forward foreign exchange contracts

The following forward foreign exchange contracts were open as of 31 December 2022:

Currency	Counterparty		Currency amount	Price EUR	% share of NFA 1)
CHF/EUR	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.	Currency purchases	147,590,000.00	151,021,510.77	7.78
USD/EUR	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.	Currency purchases	16,148,000.00	14,967,886.88	0.77
EUR/CHF	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.	Currency sales	3,225,000.00	3,299,982.15	0.17
EUR/USD	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.	Currency sales	435,154,000.00	405,722,780.90	20.91
EUR/USD	Morgan Stanley Europe SE	Currency sales	570,000,000.00	533,119,861.11	27.48

#### **Futures contracts**

	Holdings Cor	nmitments EUR	% share of NFA 1)
Short positions USD			
E-Mini S&P 500 Index Future March 2023	-600 -108,9	09,985.94	-5.61
	-108,9	09,985.94	-5.61
Short positions	-108,9	09,985.94	-5.61
Futures contracts	-108,9	09,985.94	-5.61

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# Foreign exchange rates

For the valuation of assets in a foreign currency, the following exchange rate for 31 December 2022\* was used for conversion into euro.

Pound Sterling	GBP	1	0.8846
Japanese Yen	JPY	1	142.0685
Norwegian Krone	NOK	1	10.5423
Swiss Franc	CHF	1	0.9847
US Dollar	USD	1	1.0665

<sup>\*</sup> The last valuation day in the 2022 financial year was 30 December 2022. As a result, the foreign exchange rates as of 30 December 2022 were used for the translation of the assets into foreign currency.

# Notes to the Annual Report as of 31 December 2022

# 1.) General

The Ethna-AKTIV investment fund is managed by ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. pursuant to the fund's management regulations. The Management Regulations first came into force on 28 January 2002. They were filed with the Luxembourg Trade and Companies Register with a reference to this filing published in *Recueil des Sociétés et Associations*, Official Gazette of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg ("Mémorial"), on 2 March 2002. The Mémorial was replaced by the new information platform Recueil électronique des sociétés et associations ("RESA") of the Trade and Companies Register in Luxembourg as of 1 June 2016. The Management Regulations were last amended on 1 January 2020 and published in the Recueil électronique des sociétés et associations ("RESA").

Ethna-AKTIV is a Luxembourg investment fund (Fonds Commun de Placement) set up in the form of a mono fund for an indefinite period in accordance with Part I of the Luxembourg Law of 17 December 2010 on undertakings for collective investment, as amended (the "Law of 17 December 2010").

The management company of the fund is ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. ("management company"), a public limited company incorporated under the laws of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg with its registered office at 16, rue Gabriel Lippmann, L-5365 Munsbach. It was established on 10 September 2010 for an indefinite period. Its Articles of Association were published on 15 September 2010 in the Mémorial. Amendments to the management company's Articles of Association entered into force on 1 January 2015 and were published in the Mémorial on 13 February 2015. The management company is registered with the Luxembourg Trade and Companies Register under the registration number R.C.S. Luxembourg B-155427 Unit classes (R-A) and (R-T) are intended exclusively for distribution in Italy, France and Spain.

### 2.) Main accounting and valuation principles; unit value calculation

Responsibility for preparing this annual report in accordance with the applicable Luxembourg statutory provisions and regulations relating to the preparation and presentation of annual reports lies with the Board of Directors of the management company.

- 1. The fund's net assets are stated in euros (EUR) ("reference currency").
- 2. The value of a fund unit ("unit value") is stated in the currency ("fund currency") as specified in the annex to the Sales Prospectus, unless a currency other than the fund currency is specified for any other unit classes in the annex to the Sales Prospectus ("unit class currency").
- 3. The unit value is calculated by the management company or its delegate under the supervision of the depositary on each day that is a bank working day in Luxembourg, with the exception of 24 and 31 December of each year ("valuation day"), and rounded to two decimal places. The management company may stipulate a different arrangement for the fund, taking into account that the unit value must be calculated at least twice a month.
  - However, the management company may decide to determine the unit value on 24 and 31 December of any given year, without this constituting a calculation of the unit value on a valuation day as specified in sentence 1 above of this point 3. Consequently, investors may not request the issue, redemption and/or conversion of units on the basis of a unit value determined on 24 December and/or 31 December of any year.
- 4. To calculate the unit value, the value of the assets in the fund less any fund liabilities ("net fund assets") is calculated on each valuation day, divided by the number of fund units in circulation on the valuation day.

- 5. To the extent that information regarding the position of the fund assets as a whole needs to be provided in annual reports, semi-annual reports or other financial statistics in accordance with legal requirements or the rules in the fund management regulations, the fund assets are translated into the reference currency. The net fund assets are calculated on the basis of the following principles:
  - a) Securities, money market instruments, derivative financial instruments (derivatives) and other assets which are officially listed on a stock exchange are valued at the last available price of the trading day preceding the valuation day which ensures a reliable valuation.
    - The management company may determine for the fund that securities, money market instruments, derivative financial instruments (derivatives) and other assets which are officially listed on a stock exchange are valued at the last available closing price of the trading day which ensures a reliable valuation. This is mentioned in the annex to the fund's Sales Prospectus. Where securities, money market instruments, derivatives and other assets are officially listed on several stock exchanges, the exchange with the highest liquidity is used.
  - b) Securities, money market instruments, derivatives and other assets not officially listed on a stock exchange (or whose exchange prices are not considered representative because of a lack of liquidity, for example) but which are traded on a regulated market are valued at a price that may be no lower than the bid price and no higher than the offer price of the trading day preceding the valuation day and that the management company considers in good faith to be the best possible price at which the securities, money market instruments, derivatives and other assets may be sold.
    - The management company can determine for the fund that securities, money market instruments, derivatives and other assets not officially listed on a stock exchange (or whose exchange prices are not considered representative because of a lack of liquidity, for example) but which are traded on a regulated market are valued at a price that may be no lower than the bid price and no higher than the offer price of the trading day preceding the valuation day and that the management company considers in good faith to be the best possible price at which the securities, money market instruments, derivatives and other assets may be sold. This is mentioned in the annex to the fund's Sales Prospectus.
  - c) OTC derivatives are valued on a daily basis using a verifiable method to be specified by the management company.
  - d) Units of UCITS or UCIs shall be valued at the last redemption price determined before the valuation day, or at the last available price which ensures a reliable valuation. If redemption has been suspended for investment fund units or a redemption price has not been specified, these units are valued in the same way as all other assets at the relevant market value as determined by the management company in good faith using generally accepted and verifiable valuation rules.
  - e) If the applicable prices are not in line with the market, if the financial instruments referred to in b) are not traded on a regulated market and if no prices have been determined for financial instruments other than those referred to in letters a) to d), these financial instruments shall be valued in the same way as the other legally permissible assets at the applicable market value as determined by the management company in good faith and in accordance with generally recognised and verifiable valuation rules (e.g. suitable valuation models taking into account current market conditions).
  - f) Cash and cash equivalents are valued at their nominal value plus interest.
  - g) Receivables, such as deferred interest and liabilities, are generally valued at their nominal value.
  - h) The market value of securities, money market instruments, derivative financial instruments (derivatives) and other assets that are denominated in a currency other than the fund currency is converted into the relevant fund currency on the basis of the exchange rate determined at the WM/Reuters fixing at 5:00 p.m. (4:00 p.m. London time) on the trading day preceding the valuation day. Profits and losses from foreign exchange transactions are added or deducted as appropriate.
    - The management company can determine for the fund that securities, money market instruments, derivatives and other assets denominated in a currency other than the fund currency are converted into the relevant fund currency on the basis of the exchange rate determined on the valuation day. Profits and losses from foreign exchange transactions are added or deducted as appropriate. This is mentioned in the annex to the fund's Sales Prospectus.

Net fund assets are reduced by any distributions paid to investors in the fund.

6. The unit value is calculated in accordance with the aforementioned criteria. However, if unit classes have been created within the fund, the unit value is calculated in accordance with the aforementioned criteria separately for each unit class.

7. In connection with listed derivatives, the fund is required to cover risks by providing or receiving collateral in the form of bank deposits or securities. The collateral provided/received in the form of bank deposits amounts to:

ESMA - Initial Margin/Variation Margin for the financial year ending 31 December 2022:

Fund name	Counterparty	Initial margin	Variation margin
Ethna-AKTIV	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.	EUR 3,849,199.40	EUR -1,735,610.00
Ethna-AKTIV	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.	USD 1,580,000.00	USD 884,630.00

For accounting reasons, the tables published in this report may contain rounding discrepancies of +/ - one unit (currency, percent, etc.).

#### 3.) Taxation

#### Taxation of the fund

From a Luxembourg tax perspective, as an investment fund the fund does not have any legal personality and is tax transparent.

The fund is not liable to tax on its income or profits in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg. The fund assets are only subject to the taxe d'abonnement in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg at the current rate of 0.05% p.a. A reduced taxe d'abonnement at the rate of 0.01% p.a. is applicable to (i) unit classes, the units of which are issued exclusively to institutional investors pursuant to Article 174 of the Law of 17 December 2010, (ii) funds, the exclusive purpose of which is to invest in money market instruments, term deposits at credit institutions, or both. The taxe d'abonnement is payable quarterly on the net fund assets as reported at the end of each quarter. The rate of the taxe d'abonnement for the fund or unit classes is mentioned in the annex to the Sales Prospectus. An exemption from the taxe d'abonnement is applicable, inter alia, if the fund assets are invested in other Luxembourg investment funds that are already subject to the taxe d'abonnement.

Income earned by the fund (in particular interest and dividends) may be subject to withholding tax or other taxes in the countries in which the fund assets are invested. The fund may also be liable to tax on realised or unrealised capital gains on its investments in the source country.

Distributions by the fund and profits from liquidations or disposals are not subject to withholding tax in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg. Neither the depositary nor the management company is required to collect tax certificates.

#### Taxation on income from investment fund units for the investor

Investors that are or were not tax resident in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, and do not have a permanent establishment or permanent representative there, are not subject to any Luxembourg income tax in relation to their income from or gains from disposals of their fund units.

Natural persons who are tax residents in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are subject to Luxembourg's progressive income

Companies that are tax resident in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are liable to pay corporation tax on income from fund units.

It is recommended that investors and prospective investors ensure they are informed about laws and regulations applicable to the taxation of fund assets and to the subscription, purchase, ownership, redemption or transfer of units and obtain advice from an independent third party, in particular from a tax advisor.

#### 4.) Appropriation of income

Income from unit class (T), unit class (R-T), unit class (CHF-T), unit class (SIA-T), unit class (SIA CHF-T), unit class (SIA USD-T) and unit class (USD-T) is reinvested. Income from unit class (A), unit class (R-A), unit class (CHF-A), unit class (SIA-A) and unit class (USD-A) is distributed. Distribution takes place at the intervals determined from time to time by the management company. Further details on the appropriation of income are provided in the Sales Prospectus.

### Unit class (R-A)

Regardless of income and performance, a fixed amount of 3% of the net asset value of unit class (R-A) at the end of the financial year is distributed, provided that the total net fund assets do not fall below the minimum threshold of EUR 1,250,000.00.

#### 5.) Information relating to charges and expenditure

Information on management and depositary fees and charges may be found in the current Sales Prospectus.

#### 6) Transaction costs

Transaction costs include all costs which were accounted for and/or settled separately on account of the fund in the financial year and are directly connected with a purchase or sale of securities, money market instruments, derivatives or other assets. These costs essentially include commissions, settlement fees and taxes.

### 7.) Total Expense Ratio (TER)

In calculating the total expense ratio (TER), the following BVI calculation method was applied:

#### \* NFA = net fund assets

The TER indicates the level of expenses charged to the fund assets. In addition to management and depositary fees and the taxe d'abonnement, all other costs are included, with the exception of transaction costs incurred by the fund. It shows the total amount of these costs as a percentage of the average fund volume in a financial year. (Any performance fees are shown separately in direct relation to the TER.)

### 8.) Ongoing charges

Ongoing charges is a figure calculated pursuant to Article 10(2)(b) of Commission Regulation (EU) No 583/2010 of 1 July 2010 implementing Directive 2009/65/EC of the European Parliament.

The ongoing charges indicate the level of expenses charged to the fund assets in the past financial year. In addition to management and depositary fees and the taxe d'abonnement, all other costs are included, with the exception of applicable performance fees. The figure shows the total amount of these charges as a percentage of the average fund volume in the financial year. In the case of investment funds which invest more than 20% of their assets in other fund products / target funds, the charges for the target funds are also included – any retrocession receipts (trailer fees) for these products are offset against the charges.

### 9.) Income and expense equalisation

An income equalisation amount and expense equalisation amount are set against ordinary income and expense. This covers net income arising during the period under review which the purchaser of units pays for as part of the issue price and the seller of units receives as part of the redemption price.

### 10.) Fund current accounts (cash at banks and/or liabilities to banks)

All of the fund's current accounts (including those in different currencies) that actually and legally form only part of a single current account are designated as a single current account in connection with net fund assets.

Current accounts in foreign currencies, if applicable, are converted into the currency of the fund. Interest is calculated on the basis of the terms of the relevant individual account.

#### 11.) Statement of changes in the securities portfolio

A statement detailing all purchases and disposals made during the financial year is available free of charge on request at the registered office of the management company.

#### 12.) Risk management (unaudited)

The management company applies a risk management procedure which enables it to monitor and measure at all times the risk contained in the investment positions and their contribution to the overall risk profile of the investment portfolio of the funds managed by the management company. In accordance with the Law of 17 December 2010 and the applicable regulatory requirements of the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF), the management company reports regularly to the CSSF on the risk management process adopted. The management company shall ensure, as part of the risk management process, using appropriate and reasonable methods, that the total risk associated with derivatives of the funds under management does not exceed the total net value of their portfolios. The management company uses the following methods for this purpose:

#### Commitment approach:

Under the Commitment Approach, positions in derivative financial instruments are converted into their underlying equivalent using the delta method. This takes account of netting and hedging effects between derivative financial instruments and their underlyings. Equivalent to underlyings, their total value must not exceed the total net value of the fund portfolio.

#### VaR approach:

The Value-at-Risk (VaR) figure is a statistical concept and is used as a standard measure of risk in the financial sector. The VaR indicates the potential loss on a portfolio during a given period (the holding period) which has a given probability (the confidence level) of not being exceeded.

#### Relative VaR approach:

In the relative VaR approach, the VaR for the fund must not exceed the VaR for a reference portfolio by a factor contingent on the level of the fund's risk profile. The maximum factor permitted by the supervisory authorities is 200%. The benchmark portfolio provides a correct representation of the fund's investment policy.

#### Absolute VaR approach:

In the absolute VaR approach, the VaR for the fund (99% confidence level, 20-day holding period) must not exceed a portion of the fund's assets contingent on the level of the fund's risk profile. The maximum limited permitted by the supervisory authorities is 20% of the fund's assets.

For funds which use the VaR approaches to ascertain the total risk, the Management Company estimates the expected degree of leverage effect. The extent of this leverage effect may deviate from the actual value depending on prevailing market conditions, falling below or exceeding it. Investor attention is drawn to the fact that no conclusions can be drawn from this information with respect to the risk entailed in the fund. Furthermore, the expected leverage published is explicitly not to be understood as an investment limit. The method used to determine the overall risk and, if applicable the publication of the reference portfolio and the expected degree of leverage, as well as the calculation method, are stated in the fund-specific appendix.

In accordance with the Prospectus valid at the end of the financial year, Ethna-AKTIV is subject to the following risk management procedure:

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#### Risk management procedure applied

Ethna-AKTIV absolute VaR

#### Absolute VaR approach for Ethna-AKTIV

In the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022, the absolute VaR approach was used to monitor and measure the total risk associated with derivatives. An absolute value of 15% was used for the internal limit. The utilization of the internal upper limit (VaR limit) ranged between 10.88% (minimum) and 30.43% (maximum) during the corresponding period, with an average of 19.08%. The VaR was calculated using a (parametric) variance-covariance approach, applying the calculation standard of a one-sided confidence interval of 99%, a holding period of 20 days and a (historical) observation period of 252 trading days.

The leverage had the following values in the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022:

Lowest leverage: 36.40% Highest leverage: 187.83% Median leverage: 108.77% (110.92%) Calculation method: Nominal value method (total of nominal values of all derivatives)

It should be noted that the leverage does not take into account hedging or netting of opposing positions. Derivatives, which were used to hedge asset positions and thus served to reduce risk at overall fund level, also led to an increase in leverage. The leverage determined on this basis is therefore mainly an indicator of the use of derivatives, but not necessarily of the risk resulting from derivatives.

#### 13.) Portfolio turnover rate (TOR)

Asset managers are required to disclose certain information on the basis of Shareholder Rights Directive II (SRD II). This document contains the portfolio turnover ratios (TORs) for the same period as the annual reports of the listed funds as part of specific fund disclosures.

The turnover figures are calculated using the following method adopted by the CSSF:

Turnover =  $((Total\ 1 - Total\ 2)\ /\ M)*100$  Where: Total 1 = Total of all securities transactions (purchases and sales) made during the period; Total 2 = Total of all new investments and redemptions made during the period; M = Average net assets of the fund.

The TOR for the Ethna-AKTIV fund for the period 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022 is 260.49.

#### 14.) Information for Swiss investors (unaudited)

#### a) General

The Sales Prospectus, including the Articles of Association, the Key Information Document and the annual and semi-annual reports, as well as the statement of the fund's additions and disposals during the reporting period, are available free of charge by post, fax or e-mail from the representative in Switzerland.

#### b.) Securities numbers:

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (A) securities no. 1379668

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (T) securities no. 10383972

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (CHF-T) securities no. 13684372

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (CHF-A) securities no. 13683768

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (SIA-A) securities no. 19770878

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (SIA-T) securities no. 19770870

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (SIA CHF-T) securities no. 22829764

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (USD-A) securities no. 22829766

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (USD-T) securities no. 22829774

Ethna-AKTIV unit class (SIA USD-T) securities no. 22829881

# c.) Total Expense Ratio (TER) in accordance with the guidelines of the Asset Management Association Switzerland dated 16 May 2008 (version dated 5 August 2021):

Commissions and costs incurred in the management of the collective investment scheme must be disclosed using the internationally recognised measure known as the "Total Expense Ratio (TER)". This figure expresses the total of those commissions and costs which are incurred by the assets of the collective investment scheme on an ongoing basis (operating expense) retrospectively as a percentage of net assets and is to be calculated using the following formula:

For newly established funds, the TER is to be calculated for the first time using the statement of operations published in the first annual or semi-annual report.

Operating expense may be converted to a 12-month period. The median of month-end values over the period under review is used to calculate the average value for fund assets.

In accordance with the guidelines of the Asset Management Association Switzerland dated 16 May 2008 (version dated 5 August 2021), the following TER was calculated as a percentage for the period from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022:

Ethna-AKTIV	Swiss TER in %		
	Without performance fee	With performance fee	
Unit class (A)	1.87	1.87	
Unit class (T)	1.87	1.87	
Unit class (CHF-A)	1.87	1.87	
Unit class (CHF-T)	1.87	1.87	
Unit class (SIA-A)	1.28	1.28	
Unit class (SIA-T)	1.27	1.27	
Unit class (SIA CHF-T)	1.27	1.27	
Unit class (USD-A)	1.95	1.95	
Unit class (USD-T)	1.88	1.88	
Unit class (SIA USD-T)	1.29	1.29	

#### d.) Information for investors

Payments may be made from the fund management fee to distributors and asset managers in return for distribution of the investment fund (trailer fees). Reimbursements may be granted from the management fee to institutional investors which hold the fund units for third-party beneficial owners.

#### e.) Amendments to the Prospectus in the financial year

Published amendments to the Prospectus in the financial year are made available for download at www.swissfunddata.ch.

#### 15.) Performance fee

The Management Company receives a performance fee of 20% of the performance in excess of 5% (hurdle rate), which can be withdrawn from the fund at the expense of the unit class concerned at the end of the financial year. The increase in value in each case is calculated using the so-called net capital appreciation method, i.e. the calculation is made for the fund on the basis of the net asset value per unit valid at the end of the previous financial year in respect of which a profit participation was last paid out. In the year of the initial issue of units, the calculation is based on the initial issue price.

If the net unit value at the end of the past financial year shows an increase in value compared to the net asset value at the end of the previous financial year, but the hurdle rate was not exceeded, this last net unit value of the past financial year is the high watermark for the next financial year.

If net impairments have to be reported in a financial year, they are carried forward with regard to the calculation of the performance fee of the following financial years and then taken into account, with the result that no performance fee is paid out as long as the unit value is below the level which last gave rise to the payment of a performance fee.

These fees are exclusive of any value added tax.

<sup>\*</sup> UA = Units in the currency of account of the collective investment scheme

For the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the actual performance fee accrued and the corresponding performance fee percentage (calculated on the basis of the respective average net assets of the sub-funds) for the respective sub-funds are as follows:

Currency Fund name		ISIN	Performance fee	
			in EUR	in %
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (A)	LU0136412771	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (T)	LU0431139764	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (R-A)	LU0564177706	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (R-T)	LU0564184074	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (CHF-A)	LU0666480289	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (CHF-T)	LU0666484190	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (SIA-A)	LU0841179350	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (SIA-T)	LU0841179863	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (SIA CHF-T)	LU0431139764	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (USD-A)	LU0985093219	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (USD-T)	LU0985094027	0.00	0.00
EUR	Ethna-AKTIV (SIA USD-T)	LU0985094373	0.00	0.00

### 16.) Significant events during the period under review

The Sales Prospectus was updated with effect from 1 January 2022. The following amendments entered into force:

- Implementation of the Taxonomy Regulation
- Implementation of the ESMA Guidelines on performance fees
- Alignments to template

The Sales Prospectus was revised with effect from 1 May 2022. Principal Adverse Impacts ("PAIs") will be considered for the fund in the future.

#### Information regarding the COVID-19 pandemic

For protection against the coronavirus and ensure its business operations even in a crisis scenario, the Management Company, ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. ("Company"), has adopted several measures pertaining to its employees and external service providers.

In addition to comprehensive hygiene measures in the premises and restrictions on business trips and events, additional precautions have been put in place to ensure that the management company can guarantee the reliable and smooth running of its business processes in the event of a suspected case of coronavirus infection within the company's workforce. By expanding the range of technical options for mobile working, the company has created the conditions for employees to be divided between several workplaces. This significantly reduces the potential risk of transmission of the coronavirus within the management company. The highest priority is given to the safety and health of employees, customers and business partners. Since April 2020, company employees have had a consistently high rate of mobile working.

In view of the further decline in the number of infections and the extensive reopening of public life, the measures described above were gradually phased out in mid-2022. This increased use of digital exchange formats will continue for the time being.

However, the management company continues to closely monitor the containment measures and the economic impact of the virus.

#### Russia/Ukraine conflict

European exchanges in particular recorded significant price losses as a result of the measures adopted worldwide in response to the invasion of Ukraine by Russian troops at the end of February 2022. The financial markets and the global economy are facing a medium-term future that will be primarily defined by uncertainty.

It is impossible to anticipate the impact on the assets of the Fund and its sub-fund resulting from the ongoing conflict in Ukraine

At the time this report was drawn up, the management company was of the opinion that there were no indications that would suggest that the Fund and its sub-funds could not continue as a going concern, nor were there any valuation or liquidity problems for the Fund.

There were no other noteworthy changes or significant events in the period under review.

#### 17.) Significant events after the period under review

The Sales Prospectus was updated with effect from 1 January 2023. The following amendments entered into force:

- Implementation of the requirements of Level 2 of the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation 2019/2088 (SFDR);
- Deletion of Tageblatt as an additional publication medium for share prices
- Alignments to template and editorial adjustments.

There were no noteworthy changes or significant events after the period under review.

#### 18.) Classification under the SFDR Regulation (EU 2019/2088) (unaudited)

Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6 of Regulation (EU) 2020/852 (EU Taxonomy) apply to this Fund.

In compliance with the ESG strategy of the fund manager, ESG criteria, in particular sustainability risks, are taken into consideration for the fund in the investment decision process.

ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. (management company and fund manager of the fund) has signed the UN PRI (United Nations-supported Principles for Responsible Investment).

The investment universe includes global equities and corporate bonds, which have been subject to a systematic selection process. This selection process also takes into consideration ESG aspects based on our own analyses and supported by external research services. The fund invests exclusively in corporate securities that apply best practice in corporate governance and do not fall under the general exclusion criteria.

In addition, the fund management of the Management Company makes use of external research from one or more sustainability rating agencies. Their findings are taken into consideration as one component in the fund manager's investment decision process.

For the assessment of the suitability of investments for the fund assets, the individual ESG criteria are accordingly taken into account in addition to the traditional parameters for risk and return expectations.

Detailed information on the principles of responsible investment of the Management Company and the appointment of sustainability rating agencies used can be found on www.ethenea.com under "ABOUT ETHENEA".

The Fund Manager considers the principal adverse impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors within the meaning of Article 4(1)(a) of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088.

Information on the extent, if any, that a consideration of the principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors is made for the Fund is presented in the relevant Annex. For more information, please visit the fund manager's website at www.ethenea.com.

#### 19.) Remuneration policy (unaudited)

The Management Company of ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. applies a remuneration policy that complies with the legal requirements. The remuneration system is designed to be compatible with sound and effective risk management, neither encouraging the assumption of risks that are inconsistent with the risk profiles, management regulations or articles of association of the undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities (hereinafter "UCITS") under management, nor preventing ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. from duly acting in the best interests of the UCITS.

Employee remuneration consists of an appropriate fixed annual salary and variable performance and results-based remuneration.

As of 31 December 2021, the total remuneration of the 20 employees of ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. amounts to EUR 2,481,720.00. The aforementioned remuneration pertains to all of the UCITS managed by ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A. All employees are involved in total management activities for all funds; therefore, distribution based on fund is not possible.

Total remuneration is divided into:

Total amount of the shares held in the past financial year as at 31 December 2021 employee remuneration paid:

Of which fixed remuneration: EUR 2,041,720.00

EUR 2,481,720.00

Of which variable remuneration: EUR 440,000.00

Remuneration paid directly from the fund: EUR 0.00

Number of employees of the outsourcing company:

More detailed information on the current remuneration policy can be obtained free of charge on the website of the Management Company, www.ethenea.com, in the legal notices section. A hard-copy version will be provided to investors free of charge upon request.

#### 20.) Transparency of securities financing transactions and their reuse (unaudited)

By definition, ETHENEA Independent Investors S.A., as a management company of undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS), comes within the scope of Regulation (EU) 2015/2365 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2015 on transparency of securities financing transactions and of reuse and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012 ("SFTR").

No securities financing transactions or total return swaps within the meaning of this Regulation were used in the financial year of the investment fund. Thus, no disclosures pursuant to Article 13 of this Regulation are to be made to investors in the Annual Report.

More detailed information on the fund's investment strategy and the financial instruments it uses can be found in the current prospectus, and can be obtained free of charge from the website of the management company at www.ethenea.com.

## Report of the Réviseur d'Entreprises agréé

To the unitholders of **Ethna-AKTIV**16, rue Gabriel Lippmann
L-5365 Munsbach

#### **Audit opinion**

We have audited the annual financial statements of Ethna-AKTIV ("the Fund"), consisting of the composition of net fund assets as of 31 December 2022, changes in net fund assets as well as the statement of operations for the financial year ending on that date; and notes, along with a summary of key accounting methods.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Fund as at 31 December 2022, and of its financial performance and its changes in net assets for the year ended on that date in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements.

#### Basis for the audit opinion

We have carried out our audit in accordance with the Law concerning the audit profession (the "Law of 23 July 2016") and international standards on auditing ("ISAs") accepted for Luxembourg by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier ("CSSF"). Our responsibility under the Law of 23 July 2016 and the ISA Standards is further described in the section "Responsibility of the Réviseur d'entreprises agréé for the audit of the financial statements". We are independent of the Fund in accordance with the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (the "IESBA Code") accepted for Luxembourg by the CSSF, together with professional conduct requirements to be upheld within the framework of the audit of the annual financial statements and have fulfilled all other professional obligations in accordance with these conduct requirements. We are of the opinion that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to serve as a basis for our audit opinion.

#### **Additional information**

The Management Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the additional information. The additional information includes the information contained in the Annual Report, but not the financial statements or our report as Réviseur d'entreprises agréé on these financial statements.

Our audit results for the financial statements do not cover the additional information, and we make no guarantee whatsoever regarding this information.

In auditing the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the additional information and to assess whether there is a significant discrepancy between it and the financial statements or the findings obtained from the audit, or whether the additional information appears otherwise misrepresented. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that any other information contains a material misstatement, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibility of the Board of Directors for the annual financial statements

The Board of Directors of the Management Company is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the annual financial statements in accordance with the legal provisions and regulations applying in Luxembourg to the preparation and presentation of annual financial statements, and for the internal controls which the Board of Directors of the Management Company deems necessary in order to ensure that annual financial statements are prepared which are free of material misstatement – whether due to error or fraud.

In preparing the financial statements, the Board of Directors of the management company is responsible for assessing the ability of the Fund to continue as a going concern and, as applicable, to disclose matters related to the going concern assumption as a matter of accounting policy unless the Board of Directors of the management company intends to liquidate the Fund, to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Responsibility of the Réviseur d'entreprises agréé for the audit of the annual financial statements

The aim of our audit is to obtain reasonable assurance that the annual financial statements as a whole are free of material misstatement – whether due to error or fraud – and prepare a Report of the Réviseur d'entreprises agréé containing our audit opinion. Reasonable assurance corresponds to a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 and with the ISAs adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF will always identify a material misstatement, if any. Misstatements can arise from error or fraud and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

In accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 and the ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF, we have carried out our audit in accordance with our professional judgement and have maintained a critical perspective. Furthermore:

- We identify and assess the risk of material misstatements in the annual financial statements due to fraud or error, plan and carry out audit procedures in response to these risks and obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for our audit opinion. The risk that material misstatements will not be identified is higher for fraud than for errors, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misleading statements or the override of internal controls.
- We obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Fund's internal control.
- We evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors of the management company.
- We reach a conclusion on the appropriateness of the application of the going concern accounting principle by the Board of Directors of the management company, as well as on the basis of the audit evidence obtained as to whether a material uncertainty exists in connection with events or circumstances that could create serious doubt about the Fund's ability to continue with its activities. If we conclude that there is material uncertainty, we are required to draw attention in the report of the Réviseur d'entreprises agréé to the related notes to the financial statements or, if the disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. These conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of the report of the Réviseur d'entreprises agréé. Future or events or circumstances may result in the Fund no longer being able to continue with its business activities.
- We assess the overall presentation, structure and contents of the annual financial statements, including the notes, and assess whether this gives a reasonable presentation of underlying transactions and events.

We communicate with those responsible for governance about the planned audit scope and time frame, as well as significant findings including material weaknesses in the internal control system identified within the framework of the audit.

Luxembourg, 15 March 2023

Ernst & Young Société anonyme Cabinet de révision agréé

Nadia Faber

#### ANNEX IV

Regular disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 8, paragraphs 1, 2 and 2a of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6, paragraph 1 of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

Product name: Ethna-AKTIV

Legal entity identifier: 529900GYLM0Z95YA0Y09

#### Sustainable investment

means an investment in an economic activity that contributes to an environmental or social objective, provided that the investment does not significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

The EU Taxonomy is a classification system laid down in Regulation (EU) 2020/852, establishing a list of environmentally sustainable economic activities. That Regulation does not lay down a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental objective might be aligned with the Taxonomy or not.

## **Environmental and/or social characteristics**

Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?			
• • Yes	● No		
Sustainable investments with an environmental objective were made: %	It promoted Environmental/Social (E/S) characteristics and while it does not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it had		
in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the	0.00% of sustainable investments		
EU Taxonomy	<ul><li>with an environmental objective in economic activities that qualify as</li></ul>		
in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy		
	with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy		
	with a social objective		
Sustainable investments with a social objective were made: %	☑ It promoted E/S characteristics, but did not make any sustainable investments		



# To what extent were the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by the financial product fulfilled?

In its bond and equity investments, the Fund favours companies that already have low exposure to material ESG risks or that actively manage and so reduce the ESG risks inevitably associated with their business activities. The analyses of the external rating agency Sustainalytics are used to assess the ESG risks that are relevant for the individual companies and to evaluate the active management of ESG risks within the companies. The ESG Risk Score calculated by Sustainalytics assesses three factors that are crucial for a risk assessment:

- Governance
- Material ESG risks at sector level and the individual measures taken by the company to counter them
- Idiosyncratic risks (controversies that companies are involved in)

The corporate governance assessment is an important feature for assessing the financial and ESG risks associated with an investment. The analysis of the environmental and social characteristics focuses on material risks for the sector. Besides social factors, resource consumption is always a risk factor in the manufacturing sector. Consequently, the analysis incorporates ecological features, for example:

- greenhouse gas emissions and greenhouse gas intensity,
- protection of natural resources, especially water,
- limiting of soil sealing,
- biodiversity

Service companies have a much lower environmental impact due to their activities, and so they focus on social characteristics, which include, for example:

- Fair working conditions and adequate pay,
- Health and safety at work,
- Prevention of corruption,
- Prevention of fraud,
- Control of product quality.

As such, the Fund focuses on taking into account relevant environmental and social risks, which may vary from company to company. The Fund seeks not only to avoid environmental risks by investing in companies whose environmental risks are already low based on the company's activities, but also to consider companies that use appropriate management policies to limit and reduce the environmental risks associated with their business model.

There are also comprehensive exclusions that prohibit the Fund from making a large number of investments that are generally regarded as critical. Specifically, investments in companies with a core activity in the areas of armaments, tobacco, pornography, staple food speculation and/or the production/distribution of coal are prohibited. Additionally, investments in companies are prohibited when serious violations of the principles of the UN Global Compact have been identified and there is no compelling prospect that the violations will be remedied. For sovereign issuers, investments in bonds of countries declared "unfree" in the annual analysis by Freedom House (www.freedomhouse.org) are prohibited.

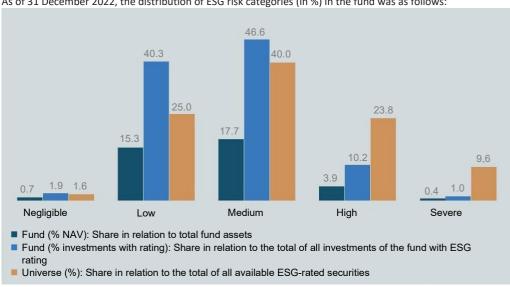
#### How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The analyses of the external rating agency Sustainalytics are used to assess the ESG risks that are relevant for the individual companies and to evaluate the active management of ESG risks within the companies.

Sustainalytics summarises the results of its analyses in an ESG risk score ranging from 0 to 100, where the risk assumptions are assessed as follows:

less than 10: minor risks from 10 to 19.99: low risks from 20 to 29.99; medium risks from 30 to 39.99: high risks greater than 40: serious risks.

Measured against this ESG risk score, the Fund is expected to achieve on average at least a medium ESG risk profile (ESG risk score less than 30). This objective was achieved. During the reporting period, the fund's ESG risk score was consistently below 30. The average ESG risk score for the reporting period was 21.9. As of 31 December 2022, the ESG risk score was 21.6. Individual securities with very serious risks (ESG risk score greater than 50) will only be considered for inclusion as an investment in the Fund in justified exceptional cases and should be accompanied by an active engagement process to improve the ESG risk profile of the investment. There were no investments in the fund with a correspondingly high ESG risk score during the reporting period.



As of 31 December 2022, the distribution of ESG risk categories (in %) in the fund was as follows:

The fund excludes investments in companies or products issued by companies that violate the UN conventions on cluster munitions, chemical weapons and other outlawed weapons of mass destruction or that finance such companies/products. Additional product-related exclusions apply if the turnover of a company from the production and/or distribution of certain goods exceeds the revenue volumes listed below: coal (25%), armaments (10%), small arms (10%), adult entertainment (10%), tobacco (5%).

Additionally, investments in companies are prohibited when serious violations of the principles of the UN Global Compact have been identified and there is no compelling prospect that the violations will be remedied. For sovereign issuers, investments in bonds of countries declared "unfree" in the annual analysis by Freedom House (www.freedomhouse.org) are prohibited.

All listed exclusion criteria were met during the reporting period.

#### Sustainability indicators

measure how the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product are attained.

- ... and in comparison with previous periods?
  n/a
- What were the objectives of the sustainable investments that the financial product partially intended to make and how does the sustainable investment contribute to such objectives?
  E/S characteristics are promoted with the financial product, but no sustainable investments will be made.
- How have the sustainable investments, which were in part made with the financial product, not caused significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?

E/S characteristics are promoted with the financial product, but no sustainable investments will be made.

----- How were the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors taken into account?

E/S characteristics are promoted with the financial product, but no sustainable investments will be made.

----- How are the sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights?

E/S characteristics are promoted with the financial product, but no sustainable investments will be made.

The EU Taxonomy sets out a "do no significant harm" principle by which Taxonomy-aligned investments should not significantly harm EU Taxonomy objectives and is accompanied by specific EU criteria.

The "do no significant harm" principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities. The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

Any other sustainable investments must also not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives.



# How did this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

Principal adverse impacts are the most significant negative impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors relating to environmental, social and employee matters, respect for human rights, anticorruption and antibribery matters. Within the Fund, the principal adverse impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors from the following groups of issues from Annex 1 of Table I of Regulation (EU) 2022/1288 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 April 2022 are taken into consideration: greenhouse gas emissions, biodiversity, water, waste, and social and employment issues.

The portfolio managers draw on the external analyses of ESG agencies, public documents of the companies and notes from direct dialogues with company leaders to identify, measure and assess adverse sustainability impacts. The adverse sustainability impacts can then be subjected to comprehensive analysis and taken into account in investment decisions.

Different sustainability aspects are weighted in the sustainability assessment of investments depending on their relevance for the respective business model. For example, greenhouse gas emissions are significantly more relevant in particularly CO2-intensive sectors than in less CO2-intensive sectors.

Regular reporting of the sustainability factors is based on the raw data provided by the Sustainalytics rating agency.



## What are the main investments of this financial product?

Average of four reporting dates (31/03/2022; 30/06/2022; 30/09/2022 and 31/12/2022):

The list includes the following investments, which accounted for the largest share of the investments made in the financial product during the reference period 01/01/2022 – 31/12/2022:

Largest investments	Sector	in % of the	Country
JAB Consumer Partners SCA SICAR -	PROVISION OF FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE	3.4175	Luxembourg
Global Consumer Brands	SERVICES		
United States of America v.21(2023)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.7075	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.21(2023)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.305	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.20(2023)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.24	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.21(2026)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.145	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.21(2026)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.14	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.21(2026)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.135	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.17(2024)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	2.0825	United States
	SECURITY		of America
JAB Consumer Partners SCA SICAR	PROVISION OF FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE	2.0225	Luxembourg
Class A1	SERVICES		
United States of America v.21(2026)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	1.815	United States
	SECURITY		of America
United States of America v.20(2025)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	1.8025	United States
	SECURITY		of America
Federal Republic of Germany Reg.S.	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	1.7475	Germany
v.19(2024)	SECURITY		
United States of America v.22(2024)	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, DEFENCE: SOCIAL	1.745	United States
	SECURITY		of America

### What was the share of sustainability-related investments?

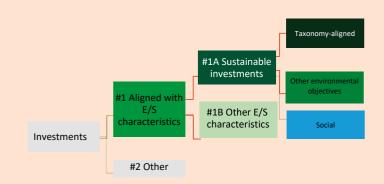
#### **Asset allocation**

describes the share of investments in specific assets.

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

- turnover reflecting the current "environmental friendliness" of investee companies
- capital expenditure
   (CapEx) showing the
   relevant green
   investments made by
   investee companies for
   a transition to a green
   economy
- operational expenditure (OpEx) reflecting green operational activities of investee companies

#### What were the asset allocations?



**#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product. The share of these investments amounts to 85.00% as of the reporting date.

**#2 Other** includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments. The share of these investments amounts to 15.00% as of the reporting date.

The category **#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** covers:

Subcategory **#1A Sustainable Investments** includes environmentally and socially sustainable investments. The share of these investments amounts to 0.00% as of the reporting date.

The sub-category **#1B Other E/S characteristics** covers investments aligned with the environmental or social characteristics that do not qualify as sustainable investments. The share of these investments amounts to 85.00% as of the reporting date.

#### In which economic sectors were the investments made?

Average of four reporting dates (31/03/2022; 30/06/2022; 30/09/2022 and 31/12/2022):



Sector	in % of Assets
Government bonds	47.21%
Other	5.70%
Software & services	3.70%
Pharmaceuticals, biotechnology and biosciences	3.49%
Utilities	3.18%
Food, beverages and tobacco	2.85%
Banks	2.45%
Hardware and equipment	2.44%
Media & entertainment	2.40%
Wholesale and retail	2.20%
Healthcare: Equipment & services	1.95%
Automobiles and components	1.47%
Diversified financial services	1.42%
Capital goods	1.42%

Consumer services	1.42%
Semiconductors & equipment for semiconductor production	1.40%
Energy	1.29%
Raw materials and supplies	1.23%
Insurance	1.07%
Real estate	1.05%
Telecommunications services	1.01%
Household goods & personal care products	0.91%
Food and basic goods retail	0.71%
Transport	0.57%
Consumer goods and clothing	0.56%
Commercial services & supplies	0.05%

With a view to EU taxonomy alignment, the criteria for fossil gas include limiting emissions and switching to renewable energy or low-carbon fuels by the end of 2035. These nuclear energy criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management regulations.

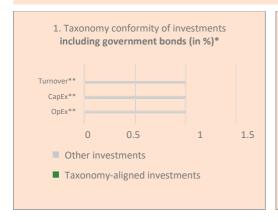
# To what extent were sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

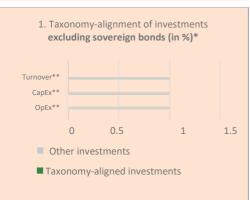
The main objective of this Fund is to contribute to the pursuit of E/S characteristics. Accordingly, this Fund does not currently commit to investing a minimum proportion of its total assets in environmentally sustainable economic activities as defined in Article 3 of the EU Taxonomy Regulation (2020/852). This also applies to information on investments in economic activities that are classified as enabling or transitional activities under Article 16 or 10(2) of the EU Taxonomy Regulation (2020/852).

Does the financial product invest in EU taxonomy-aligned fossil gas and/or nuclear energy<sup>1</sup> activities?

Yes:☐ in fossil gas☐ in nuclear energy☒ No

The two graphs below show in green the minimum percentage of investments that are aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds\*, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.





- \* For the purpose of these graphs, "sovereign bonds" consist of all sovereign exposures.
- \*\* The share of taxonomy-aligned investments measured in terms of turnover, CapEx and OpEx cannot be determined on the basis of the data available on the market at the current time.

  The statement for the fossil gas and nuclear energy sector is omitted in this chart. The investments made in these sectors amount to 0.00% each.

What is the share of investments made in transitional and enabling activities?

Transitional activities: 0% Enabling activities: 0%

The share of taxonomy-aligned investments invested in transitional and enabling activities cannot be determined based on the data available on the market at the current time. The assumption is that this data will be available for the next annual financial statement.

Enabling activities directly enable other activities to make a substantial contribution to an environmental objective

Transitional activities are activities for which low-carbon alternatives are not yet available and among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the best performance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear energy activities are only EU taxonomy aligned if they contribute to mitigating climate change and do not significantly affect any EU Taxonomy objective – see explanation in the left margin. The detailed criteria for EU taxonomy-aligned economic activities in the sector of fossil gas and nuclear energy are set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

How has the share of investments brought into line with the EU Taxonomy evolved compared to previous reference periods?

n/:



## What was the share of non-EU- taxonomy-compliant sustainable investments with an environmental objective?

E/S characteristics are promoted with the financial product, but no sustainable investments will be made. The minimum share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective that are not aligned with the EU Taxonomy is 0%.

#### What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

E/S characteristics are promoted with the financial product, but no sustainable investments will be made. The minimum share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective that are not aligned with the EU Taxonomy is 0%.



# What investments were included under "Other Investments", what was their purpose and were there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

This includes hedging instruments, investments used for diversification purposes (for example commodities and other investment funds), investments for which no data is available, and cash.

"#2 Other investments" in particular is used for diversification of the Fund and for liquidity management in order to achieve the investment objectives described in the investment policy.

The sustainability indicators used to measure the achievement of the individual environmental or social characteristics in "#1 Investments focused on environmental or social characteristics" do not apply systematically in "#2 Other investments". There is no minimum protection for "#2 Other investments".



## What measures were taken during the reference period to fulfil the environmental and/or social characteristics?

A key measure was the consideration of the comprehensive exclusions that permanently prohibit the fund from making a large number of investments that are generally regarded as critical. Specifically, investments in companies or products issued by companies that violate the UN conventions on cluster munitions, chemical weapons and other outlawed weapons of mass destruction or that finance such companies/products were excluded during the reporting period. Additional product-related exclusions apply if the turnover of a company from the production and/or distribution of certain goods exceeded the revenue volumes listed below: coal (25%), armaments (10%), small arms (10%), adult entertainment (10%), tobacco (5%). Additionally, investments in companies were prohibited when serious violations of the principles of the UN Global Compact have been identified and there was no compelling prospect that the violations will be remedied. For sovereign issuers, investments in bonds of countries declared "unfree" in the annual analysis by Freedom House (www.freedomhouse.org) were prohibited.

Another significant measure was the fundamental approach in the selection of bond and equity investments for the fund. Here, the focus continued to be on companies that already had low exposure to material ESG risks or that actively managed and consequently reduced the ESG risks inevitably associated with their business activities.

The analyses of the external rating agency Sustainalytics were used to assess the ESG risks that are relevant for the individual companies and to evaluate the active management of ESG risks within the companies.

The ESG Risk Score calculated by Sustainalytics assesses three factors that are crucial for a risk assessment: corporate governance, sector-level material ESG risks, as well as individual company countermeasures and idiosyncratic risks (controversies involving companies). The corporate governance assessment is an important feature for assessing the financial and ESG risks associated with an investment. The analysis of the environmental and social characteristics focuses on material risks for the sector. Besides social factors, resource consumption is always a risk factor in the manufacturing sector. Consequently, the analysis incorporates environmental characteristics, such as greenhouse gas emissions and intensity, the protection of natural resources, especially water, the limiting of soil sealing and the protection of species diversity (biodiversity). Service companies have a much lower environmental impact due to their activities, and so they focus on social characteristics, which include, for example: fair working conditions and adequate remuneration, health and safety at work, prevention of corruption, prevention of fraud and control of product quality.

As such, the fund focused on taking into account relevant environmental and social risks, which may vary from company to company. The Fund was seeking not only to avoid environmental risks by investing in companies whose environmental risks are already low based on the company's activities, but also to consider companies that use appropriate management policies to limited and reduced the environmental risks associated with their business model.

Another measure was engagement with the fund's investee companies. In addition to dialogues with company representatives and written statements which called for improved supply chain control to prevent human rights violations, for example, voting rights at general meetings in particular were used as an important communication channel. While dialogues are opportunities to discuss positions, they are not usually formally binding. In contrast, exercising voting rights at a general meeting has just such characteristics. This makes it a powerful tool for influencing the direction of companies. Further details on the implementation of this measure can be found in both the voting policy and the voting report on the website of the management company of the fund (https://www.ethenea.com/dokumente-zu-esg/).



#### How did this financial product perform compared to the specific reference benchmark?

No index is designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether this Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

# Reference benchmarks are indexes to measure whether the financial product attains the environmental or social characteristics that they promote.

#### How does the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?

No index is designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether this Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

## • How did this financial product perform in relation to the sustainability indicators used to determine the alignment of the reference value with the environmental or social characteristics being promoted?

No index is designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether this Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

#### How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?

No index is designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether this Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

#### How did this financial product perform compared to the broad market index?

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